

Wisconsin At Washington

BY BETTY PRETTY FARRINGTON
WASHINGTON, D. C.—The opening of the special session of congress on Monday will find the entire Wisconsin delegation on hand unless the plans of the members are changed in the meantime. The members of the delegation in the house all expect to be back in Washington on Saturday when the republicans will hold their first caucus.

At that meeting the organization of the new congress will be virtually completed in as far as the action of the house in electing the officers chosen and the new committees announced to little more than a formality. During the week the republican committee on committees on which Representative James A. Fear of Madison, successor to former Representative John J. Esch of La Crosse, represents Wisconsin, has been making committee assignments and perfecting the organization of the new house.

The announcement of the new members of the leading committees revealed that Wisconsin will have a strong representation. Representative Henry Allen Cooper of Racine was selected for the house foreign affairs committee. Mr. Cooper would have been chairman of the committee when the republicans came into power in 1915 if he were not defeated. Because of his previous service, he ranks all the other new members of the committee. Representative Edward E. Brown of Wausau will retain his place on the foreign affairs committee, giving Wisconsin two representatives.

The foreign affairs committee will figure prominently in the opening days of the new congress in as far as it will handle the Knox resolution terminating war with Germany. Senator Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania has already announced that he would introduce the resolution.

The committee on committees placed William H. Stafford of Milwaukee on the appropriations committee, by all odds the most important and the largest committee of the house. During the last congress, the state was not represented on this committee. Mr. Stafford, like Mr. Cooper, has had previous service on the committee and was therefore given a ranking place among the new members.

Representative John M. Nelson of Madison failed to be selected as a member of the house judiciary committee of which he was a member during his previous service in congress. In as far as the state already has a member of this committee, which, by the way, will have within its jurisdiction the proposed modification of the Volstead law—Mr. Nelson was denied a place. The Wisconsin member on the committee now is David G. Gleason of Oconto.

Representative Joseph D. Beck of Vilanova desired a place on either the agricultural committee or the interstate and foreign commerce, the committee of which Mr. Esch was chairman. The announcement of the committee on committees revealed that he was given neither. The state is already represented on the agricultural committee by Representative Edward Voigt of Sheboygan.

Wisconsin has no representative on the interstate and foreign commerce committee, the committee which handles among other things the railroad legislation. Representative John C. Kleck of Milwaukee desired a place on that committee, but was retained on the immigration committee. It is understood that Mr. Beck will be placed on the house labor committee, one of the lesser committees.

The one committee chairmanship to be held by a member of the Wisconsin delegation goes to Representative Herman Lamper of Oshkosh, who becomes chairman of the house patents committee. In the previous congress he was chairman of the house committee on the election of president, vice president and members of congress.

Representative Adolphus Nelson of Grantsburg will remain on the house banking and currency committee.

Mr. Fear will retain his place on the house ways and means committee.

Alleging that over \$1,000,000 is estimated to have been raised to further sales tax propaganda, Mr. Fear has addressed identical letters to every member of the new congress in opposition to the tax proposal.

A sales tax on everything we eat, drink, and wear reaching \$1,250,000 annually, will be pressed on congress in this session," Mr. Fear said in his letter. "It abandons the time honored tax principle that every tax should be paid according to the ability to pay and it is proposed to shift this burden now paid by excess profits and high income over onto every man, woman and child in the country, who will then pay the same amount on what they consume as Morgan and Rockefeller."

"For many weeks high priced writers have been deluging congress with pamphlets and press articles regarding this sales tax plan. Interest is being aroused to the extent of sending to avoid the excess profits tax and demanding a sales tax and over \$1,000,000 is estimated to have been raised for sales tax propaganda. When the senators' compensation bill was before the house in 1920 a sales tax plan reported by a sub-committee was defeated in

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KANSAS SOLONS OFFER MODIFIED ANTI-FUTURES BILL

Capper and Tinscher Renew Fight After Arranging Measure to Suit Milling Necessities

SUFFRAGE AND LIQUOR COMMITTEES CONTINUED

Both Parties in House Caucus New Session Organization

WASHINGTON, D. C.—An anti-grain gambling bill will be introduced in the new congress by Senator Capper and Representative Tinscher, both of Kansas. The measure, Senator Capper announced today, will be similar to the bill which failed in the last congress but will have a few amendments designed to meet objections to the former bill and which, Senator Capper said, would not penalize legitimate speculation or "hedging." The new bill also will apply to cotton as well as grain.

"As revised," said Senator Capper, in a statement, "the bill, I believe, meets the approval of the legitimate grain and milling interests. It already has the approval of all the great farm organizations."

The revised bill, according to Senator Capper, would place grain exchanges under the bureau of markets, with authority to confine speculation in grain or cotton to regular boards of trade. This, the senator said, "will end the activities of the private wire houses, where 95 per cent of the real gambling is done."

The bill by another provision would require publicity for all future grain transactions and would require cancellation of boards of trade permits if they should not prescribe rules to prevent gambling.

Republicans and democrats, meeting separately, put things in shape Saturday for the organization of the house of representatives at noon tomorrow.

Speaker Gillett, nominated by the republicans, will be opposed for reelection by Representative Claude Kitchin, democrat, North Carolina. Mr. Gillett will be elected and Mr. Kitchin, by reason of his nomination will become democratic leader. In the new house the republicans have 301 members and the democrats 191.

Back after a long rest, Mr. Kitchin said he felt physically fit to carry on his work as minority leader, but at his request Representative Garrett, Tennessee, was named as acting leader.

Majority Accepts Committees

At their final caucus republicans ratified the action of the committee on committees and adopted the report on standing committee assignments. The action of the general committee in giving representation to labor and agriculture on the steering committee was approved. Representative Nolan, California, who holds a union card, and Representative Anderson, Minnesota, long active in urging legislation designed to aid the farming industry, were added to the committee along with Representative Greene, Vermont, who succeeds Chairman Winslow of the interstate commerce committee. Other members hold over.

The only fight in the democratic caucus was for a place on the ways and means committee, which went to Representative Taggart, Massachusetts, who defeated Representative Hayden, Arizona, by five votes. Members said Hayden was because he had opposed the Fordney emergency tariff, which Hayden supported.

Representative Mondell, Wyoming, the republican leader, and Representative Knutson, Minnesota, republican whip, will serve again, both having been re-elected.

Keep Suffrage and Liquor Bodies

Two committees which were expected to be dropped, woman suffrage and alcoholic liquor traffic, need of which, it was said, had passed, were continued.

THIRD BIG U. S. TOWBOAT LAUNCHED TO PULL BARGES ON RIVER PAST LA CROSSE

STILLWATER, Minn.—The third of four government towboats assembled here was successfully launched in the St. Croix river at 3:11 p. m. Saturday.

The boats are to be used on the upper Ohio and Mississippi rivers to tow steel barges carrying coal and iron. Each is 265 feet long, 58 feet wide and has a capacity of 600 tons. They are fitted for burning either coal or oil.

The crew's quarters are on the second deck and will be fitted with all modern improvements. The boat cost approximately \$230,000.

FARMERS DECLARE CONFIDENCE GONE IN LEAGUE CO-OP

Oppose Appointment of Receiver Who Was One of Store Company Managers

CHARGE HUGE COMMISSIONS PAID TO FUND GATHERERS

Farmers Appear in Body to Demand Ending of Experiment

MINOT, N. D.—Charges that the affairs of the Consumers United Stores company have been handled in such a way by present officers of the concern that farmers have lost confidence in the company, were made in district court before Judge Moelling Saturday afternoon in the company's receivership hearing.

The charges were made by farmers representing fourteen of the company's 37 stores in North Dakota, who came to Minot to oppose making permanent the appointment of W. G. Johnson, secretary-treasurer of the company, who was named temporary receiver when the petition for a voluntary receivership was filed several weeks ago.

Bank Wants Only Johnson

Attorneys for the company and W. R. Lovell of Fargo representing the Scandinavian-American bank of Fargo, to which the stores company owes \$100,000, opposed appointment of anyone except Johnson.

The farmers, led by L. W. Frazier of Crosby and C. P. Peterson of Bismarck, through their counsel, proposed Axel Strom of Williston for receiver.

Judge Moelling adjourned the hearing until Monday morning to permit an effort to reach an agreement.

"The men handling the affairs of this company have made a failure of it so far and we want someone in there who will save what is left," Mr. Frazier declared in addressing the court.

Paid Huge Commissions

Mr. Peterson asserted that \$100,000 in commissions had been paid to men who secured \$17,000 for the store. This, Peterson contended, represented evidence of mismanagement.

Mr. Lovell claimed the receiver should be familiar with the affairs of the company in order to discharge his duties efficiently.

Matt McMillan, Churches Ferry farmer, said "no man could be efficient and yet extend liquidation over a period of five years."

"We want this company's affairs wound up as quickly as possible and with as little expense as possible," he said.

Counsel for the company said it was the intention to continue to operate.

Backers Want Store

Counsel for eight residents of Bowman petitioned the court to have the store at Bowman liquidated from the receivership office and turned over to them. In affidavits they say they advanced \$5,000 each to the company to purchase goods for the store and that this money has not been returned. The court took the matter under advisement.

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PRISONER IN BUFFALO CONFESSES TO MURDER OF BIG BRIDGE EXPERT

TRADE UNCERTAIN ALL OVER WORLD CONSULS REPORT

Situation Improved But Little During March Say Reports From All Countries

REPARATIONS MUDDLE HOLDING BACK ACTIVITY

Failure of Settlement Reflected in Both France and England

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—Steel mill operations in the Youngstown district will be increased next week, particularly in sheet and tin mills, according to announcement Saturday.

WASHINGTON.—Financially and economically the situation throughout the world improved but little in March with few signs of better conditions to come, according to cables summaries for the month received Saturday by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce from its trade commissioners and commercial attaches in foreign countries.

In Europe tight money, unemployment and unsatisfactory industrial and shipping conditions were in evidence while some declines in prices and slight revival of building activities were noted. In the east the situation was described as somewhat easier, while in South American conditions were reported as practically unchanged from the previous month.

Britain Feels Gloomy

Commercial Attache Dennis reported that the business depression in Great Britain had increased owing to the prospective failure of an early settlement with Germany of the reparations question. Optimism that prevailed in the cotton textile industry has been dissipated, he declared, by the increase in customs tariff of British India and a further decline in the price of silver. The Russian trade agreement is not expected appreciably to benefit business, he added, and traders are holding off to secure assurance as to the legality of payment.

U. S. French Trade Lags

America imports trade France continue to show marked reductions. Commercial Attache Hunting at Paris informed the bureau, Unsettled European conditions, the unsatisfactory result of the reparations conference and the refusal of Germany to pay installments due on account of reparations contributed to a dull financial market during the month.

Government expenditures are exceeding revenues in Germany, Howard W. Adams, representing the department of commerce in Berlin, added. He added that higher taxation seems probable, and reported prices of manufactured goods as about the same as last year while stocks on hand are greater.

An increased flow of German capital into Austria is apparent to the department's representative in Vienna.

Anxiety is felt in the Scandinavian countries as to future developments in Russia and Germany. Trade Commission Anderson of Copenhagen stated, "Doubt, he said, prevails as to whether the British-Russian trade agreement will result in important trade relations between the two countries."

FAMOUS ELWELL MURDER MYSTERY MAY BE UNRAVELED

New York Police Wire that Man Be Held Upon His Own Confession

SAYS WOMAN HIRED HIM TO TAKE ELWELL'S LIFE

Case Has Baffled Police Since June of Last Year

BUFFALO, N. Y.—A charge of first degree murder was Saturday night placed against Roy Harris, who, according to his own confession, participated in the murder of Joseph B. Elwell in New York last June. The charge was placed following instructions from the New York police department to "Hold Harris on his confession of murder."

Whitman Goes to Quiz Harris

NEW YORK.—Former Governor Charles S. Whitman announced Saturday night that he will go to Buffalo Monday to interrogate Roy H. Harris, who confessed to Buffalo police that he and an accomplice were hired by a woman to murder Joseph B. Elwell last June.

Baffled Police

The Elwell murder mystery has baffled New York police ever since the body of the victim—the country's leading authority on auction bridge and other card games—was found shot to death in his luxurious apartment. The hunt for the slayer brought the names of numerous women of New York's smart set into the case, and several other women were mentioned. A woman's negligence was found in the apartment of Elwell at the time of his death, and his servants told of riotous orgies with various female visitors which had been frequent occurrences.

Elwell was divorced. He was a noted "man about town" in New York, and a member of the city's smartest and fastest set.

DEMOCRATS TO AID HARDING DECLARES NATIONAL CHAIRMAN

Will "Refrain From Partisan Obstruction" Statement After Meeting With Leaders

DECLARES HARDING IS FOLLOWING WILSON PATH

Gratified by Endorsement of Democratic Policies

WASHINGTON.—George White, chairman of the democratic national committee, who is conferring with the democratic leaders in congress on the eve of the meeting of the new congress, announced Saturday that aside from purely organizational activity the efforts of the national committee would be "intended to be helpful to" President Harding. He added that he was sure that the administration, "with its manifold and conflicting obligations," would need the help of all.

"I am deeply gratified," said Mr. White, "at the record which has thus far been made by our late political enemies, now the chiefs of the nation, in that they have by act endorsed the policies of the preceding administration, which formerly they so bitterly assailed."

To express this gratitude, we renew our pledge to refrain from partisan machinations to harass and obstruct and reassert our purpose to aid in every proper effort for the nation's welfare. The minority in congress will help build constructive legislation, but will, of course, resist attempts to destroy good laws simply because they had democratic inception."

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SATURDAY BIG DAY IN SPORTS FOR THE BEAR VARSITY TEAMS

BERKELEY, Calif.—Athletes of the University of California met and defeated teams representing three major universities here Saturday. In sport contests here Saturday, the University of California, the Stanford University, 2 to 1.

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U. S. TO ARM MAIL EMPLOYEES TO FIGHT POSTAL ROBBERIES

WASHINGTON.—Postal employees will hereafter be armed and rewards given for apprehension of mail robbers. Postmaster General Hays today sent out an order posting a standing reward of \$5,000 for any postal employee or other person who brings in a mail robber.

"Mail robberies must stop," Mr. Hays said following a conference Saturday with Rush D. Simmons, newly appointed chief inspector, and with other members of the department's police organization. "We are going to use every power available to do this, no matter how drastic."

GRANT CITY, Ill.—A bunch of anarchists mailed five bags of parcels were stolen from the baggage room of the Chicago and Alton railway station here early today. The value of the contents has not been determined.

NEW YORK CITY LABOR WILL FIGHT INJUNCTION

NEW YORK.—Organized labor in Greater New York Saturday began to concentrate its forces to fight the use of injunctions by employers in labor troubles.

The executive committee of the Central Trades and Labor council, representing approximately 800,000 union workers, at a conference addressed by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, decided to give its entire support to the movement to fight in the courts against the issuance of injunctions forbidding picketing.

Mr. Gompers after the meeting said that labor has plans under way with which it hopes successfully to meet the court attacks.

EXPRESS PLOTTERS GUILTY MAGON, Ga.—Thirty-six of the

forty-five defendants in the trial of persons charged with conspiracy to rob the American Railway Express company of shipments, were found guilty late today by a jury in federal court.

SPECIAL FEATURES MARK HOGAN SCHOOL GOING UP RAPIDLY

Electric Gong and Excellent Arrangement of Rooms Among the Attractions

With the opening of school next September the twelve inch electric gong on the outer wall of the new Hogan school will sound a loud summons. No longer will children at play in the school yard have an extra five minutes because the clock is slow or the janitor is filling the ink wells. At nine the master clock in the building will sound the gongs within and without. Already the curious visitor watching the progress of the new building can find the recesses in the interior walls into which the clocks are to be set. An automatic program device will be attached to regulate the passing of classes as well. Every day new and interesting features become apparent. The unexpected lightness of effect presented by the use of medium buff brick of Brazil fire clay with straw colored mortar is causing favorable comment. The upper floor is in the process of construction and both there and on the two floors below the excellent arrangement of the rooms attract attention. On the first floor one finds the manual training room, to be separated from the voting booth by accordion doors. The gymnasium is easily accessible to the main entrance and can be used for an assembly hall as well. It should prove an ideal community center. It will seat several hundred people and will be piped with gas so that luncheon may be served there on occasion.

On the main floor are five class rooms and a charming kindergarten with a bay window projection to the south. This room as well as the rest room is to be fitted with separate plumbing. All the classrooms are

built with inside wardrobes. On the top floor, though it is far from complete, can already be found the location of the four class rooms, of the fine modern domestic science room which with its built in icebox and pantry and of the principal's office. Investigation shows signs of a new type of heating and ventilating system. Each room has more than one fan air flow. A combination of the direct and indirect systems of heating and ventilating will be used. There is to be a recirculating system with an air washer. This is an excellent idea because it makes possible the more careful regulation of the humidity. It is economical since the air need not be taken in at so low a temperature in winter. In summer the air can be cooled by water thus making the temperature much more tolerable if the summer term happens to be hot.

A team of elephants will drag less averaging as much as 2,500 board feet.

PORTUGUESE RAIL STRIKE FOSTERED BY REDS, CHARGE

Bolshevik Strike Director is Arrested at Meeting of Strikers

LISBON—The police claim to have discovered evidence that the strike on the Southern Railway lines which has been in progress for several months has been conducted under the secret direction of Portuguese bolsheviks.

They have arrested, as one of the bolshevik strike directors, Manuel Correia, a former railway employee and said to be one of the most active propagandists of bolshevism in Portugal. The police had long been searching for Correia who some time ago was arrested in Spain as a bolshevik agitator and brought to Lisbon by two Americans, belonging to the international police, but was set free.

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A newspaper isn't far wrong when it prints a peace treaty under the heading "Real Estate Transfers."—Boston Post.

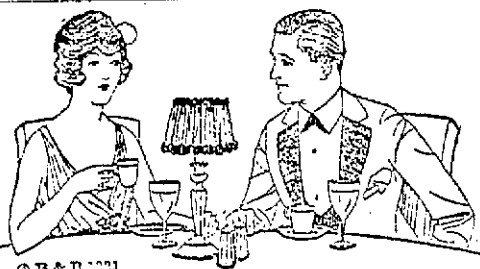
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Water Cure for Bullets
There is an organization in China resembling the bolsheviks in many respects. The members are opposed to the government and are socialists. They drink holy water every day to make themselves bullet proof.



No Corns Today unless folks let them stay

Millions of people nowadays keep completely free from corns.

At the first sign of a corn they use Blue-jay—the liquid or the plaster. The pain then stops. In a little while the whole corn loosens and comes out.

People who pare corns keep them. People who use old treatments—harsh, unscientific—do themselves injustice.

There is now a scientific cornender. A famous chemist perfected it. This world-famed laboratory supplies it through druggists everywhere.

It is at your call. A touch will apply it. Its use seals the fate of a corn.

At least 20 million corns yearly are now ended in this easy, gentle way. Apply it to one corn tonight. Watch what it does.

Plaster or Liquid Blue-jay The Scientific Corn Ender

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Makers of B & B Sterile Surgical Dressings and Allied Products

You can almost SEE them GROW

What chicks are valued on Blatchford's Chick Mash you can almost see them grow. Why? Simply because Blatchford's provides the necessary most chicks require for rapid development and growth.

Blatchford's CHICK MASH

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In no other starting and growing mash will you find the variety of essential materials that Blatchford's provides. It is made of 16 ingredients. This assures every chick the nourishment it individually requires. No wonder they grow! Try it. You will have better success with your chicks than you have ever had before.

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TUSCAN NETS for window curtains, bedspreads, French doors and table scarfs.

Tuscan Nets

were created to meet the demand for a virile, an essentially masculine, drapery net.

As the name suggests

Tuscan Nets

are Italian in spirit, and therefore in harmony with the present vogue for Italian furnishings.

But the use of

Tuscan Nets

is of course much broader than the Italian vogue. They make charming curtains for the windows of certain types of homes, notably bungalows, and are being used for some decidedly delightful bedspreads—seem, indeed, the very material that has been long sought for this purpose.

Barron's

Spring Apparel

New Jersey Sport Suits

Just received a full line of Jersey Sport Suits, coat and tuxedo effects. Jacket can be worn in place of a sweater—the garment for spring and summer wear. These suits come in plain and heather mixtures; navy, brown, copenhagen, tan and gray. Prices that are right. Now—

\$17.50 and \$20.00



Tricoline, Serge and Poiret Twill Suits, in tailored, flared, ripple and box models, embroidered, beaded and braid trimmed. Prices are way below what we sold them earlier in the season for.

Suits as low as \$25.00

And from that price up to \$55.00.

Coats, Capes and Wraps

in all known materials, plain, braided and embroidered—

\$15.00 up to \$85.00

Domestic Section

Buy Amoskeag Apron Check Gingham—we have ONLY Amoskeag, per yard **16c**

Silk Section

Crepe de Chine—Stripes for shirts and waists—high grade merchandise that will give a maximum of wear—full 32-inch, at per yard **\$2.75**

Chiffon Taffeta—Brown, blue, green, taupe and navy, 36-inch—

\$3.00, \$3.25 and \$3.50

Hose Section

Something very interesting for men. Right now—men's half hose, gray, dark brown and white—a fine quality, back to normal, at only 30c per pair **30c**

Half Hose—Cordovan, gray and black—a pure silk sheer, light weight, at only per pair **60c**

New Wash Goods

There is something about voile that makes it a superior cloth—it is airy, it does not wrinkle. It is fast colored, and it wears, full 40-inch—

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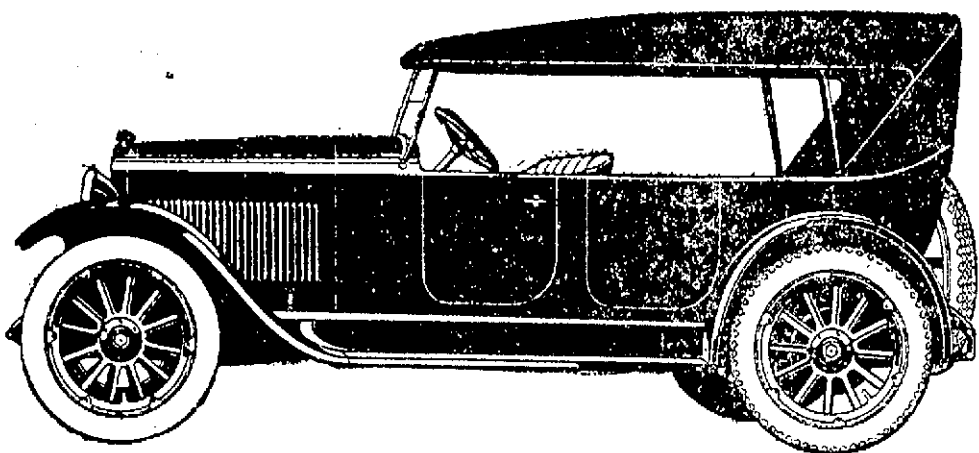
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BE GRACIOUS
O Lord, be gracious unto us: we have waited for Thee: be Thou their arm every morning, our salvation also in the time of trouble.—Isaiah 63: 2.

Stop Immigration

THE fight for closing the gates of America against immigration until such time as this country is in a position to digest and assimilate newcomers is not yet hopeless, despite the emasculation of the Johnson immigration bill by the senate during the last session is indicated by the following Washington dispatch:

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The immigration bill passed in the last days of the Wilson administration and killed by a pocket veto is to be reintroduced in the congress practically in the same form and put through, according to an understanding arrived at on Friday between its sponsors and leaders of the senate and house. A provision limiting to 50,000 the immigration from any country in any one year is now under consideration.

One hopes that the forces opposed to indiscriminate immigration will be able to rally greater strength in the special session than they showed in the one just closed. For we believe it to be apparent that behind them is the bulk of public opinion on the subject in the country. Right now the United States needs not more workers but more jobs, not more aliens but better Americans.

The influx of hundreds of thousands of dissatisfied foreigners, ready to work for a pittance, injured to the pitiful living standards of most European countries during the war and since, hostile and suspicious of all government, is a condition which can hardly be viewed without deep concern. No doubt America is, comparatively speaking, still the world's land of opportunity. But there is a serious question right now whether there is more than enough opportunity to go 'round among those of us who are already here. In such a period we have the right to "ration" our opportunities, and the first claim is that of those who have made this country the "land of opportunity". For our own safety and prosperity we need to help Europe to its feet by moral and financial assistance, but that does not in any way change our duty to protect Americans in America.

This is our country, and it is no more required of us that we throw it open to all who feel like coming than it is required of a household with a large family that he undertake to care for all the inmates of the county poor farm.

Turkey Defies the Axe

GREEK armies, invading Turkey, are whipped by the armies of Mustapha Kemal. The battles are so close to Constantinople that the allies' hold there is imperiled. It may develop into a general scrap. For Kemal for a year has been boasting that he would first whip the invading Greeks, then drive the British out of Palestine, the French out of Syria and the Italians out of their foothold at Adalia, in southern Asia Minor.

The outstanding feature of the situation is that the allies are going to have a mighty job enforcing the unqualified Turkish peace treaty. The treaty of Sevres left little to the once-powerful Turkish empire. It ended Turkey's rights in Egypt and Morocco and reduced her to the relatively small strip of territory between Constantinople in the west and the Armenia-Arabia line in the east. The sultan was about to sign it when Mustapha Kemal took a hand. Followed by the leading nationalist leaders, he retreated to the interior and set up rule in the Anatolian city, Angora. Today Kemal is the real ruler of Turkey. He has a well-equipped army estimated at 200,000. And he's where the allies can't easily get their fingers on him. He demands revision of the Sevres treaty. He defies the sultan and wants him divorced from headship of the Mohammedan church.

Lloyd George and Millerand a year ago told the Greeks, then led by Venizelos, to "go get Kemal." Marshal Foch said the Greeks couldn't do it, that it would require half a million troops. The Greeks went ahead, invaded Anatolia, and in June, 1920, were badly whipped by Kemal. Now Greece has tried it again. She has been getting another walloping. She has big casualty lists and has spent a lot of money for nothing. Whether she has been spurred on again by Paris and London is not known. One thing is certain,

though—Greece invaded Turkey in defiance of advice from the best allied military experts.

Mustapha Kemal demands autonomy for Thrace instead of giving these rich agricultural lands to Greece. He also demands restoration of Smyrna to Turkey instead of putting it under Greek charge for a fixed term of years with the probability of eventual Greek ownership.

Kemal has his differences with other allied powers—England, France and Italy all claim a bit of what was once the Turk's dominion. But he is taking it out, for the present at least, on Greece. And Greece is fighting for the Greek-inhabited regions of old Turkey with no help from the allies. Perhaps one reason why she gets no help is that in other affairs she refused to accept allied guidance. There may be some connection between the return of Constantinople and the exile of Venizelos, both bitterly opposed by the allies, and the fact that Greece now is playing a lone hand.

Back from the Brink

ENGLAND is appreciably drawing off from the danger of revolution as this is written. After three days of jockeying on the brink of virtual civil war over the coal strike and the threatened transport strike, which would have paralyzed industry and called forth military activity with all the incalculable eventualities that could result from such action, dispatches begin to assume a more hopeful tone of impending efforts for adjustment. The miners' union has receded from its extreme position of refusal to permit continuation of pumping operations to protect the properties, and a conference has been arranged between the men and the employers. It is a great step in advance, as it always is when both sides of an industrial dispute get their feet under the table to talk it over face to face. Such an atmosphere is a hard medium for suspicion and hatred to live in. It is, of course, only the first step. Before the coal situation in England can be adjusted peacefully there will have to be great concessions, but in the ingenuity which brings forth satisfactory formulas of compromise the English excel, and given a conciliatory mood on both sides there is every reason to expect a settlement. The news from London today is of good omen.

No Dead Line

"THERE is no dead line at 40," says Emerson. Hough, famous as the author of "the Mississippi Bubble." "It is within your own soul—this question of achievement. It is not decided by the clock or the calendar," he adds. Hough is 63. His big success in life did not come until he was 45. He had tried a score of occupations, and couldn't make good, or keep happy in any of them. But he never once gave up.

CHURCH NEWS

Furnished by the Church News Association
Thirty and a quarter millions of people, almost twenty-eight millions of the number boys and girls, are now enrolled in the Sunday schools of the world. This is a decided increase, in spite of conditions in Europe, where things have been at worse than a standstill, and have actually gone backward. The great growth has been in the United States and Canada, where almost 10,000,000 persons are engaged in Sunday school work. The increase in these two countries alone has been an even 2,000,000 since the last report, made some five years ago. Notable gains are also reported from Central and South America.

As college commencement season approaches several Christian bodies, perhaps the Methodist leading, are bringing forward the matter of higher education for women, especially cultural education. It is an ancient, not a new, idea. The Methodist board, North, with strong sympathies from A. J. Dism South, is determined to move from what has come to be a down town site in Baltimore, and while it will remain in that city, will raise \$6,000,000 and go out to an expanded site, as Johns Hopkins University in the same city has already done.

The number of leaders in Christian bodies who are working for week day religious education is rapidly increasing, and all of them say they are certain they will eventually see children released from public schools, that instruction in religion may be given them in what is now regarded as public school time. They point out that the family, the home, is supreme; that for centuries instruction of children was carried on in the home; and that to facilitate the work of the home, and bring education to such as could not afford instruction in the home, the public school system came into existence. They claim the force behind the founding of public schools to have been the church, and that the same power that made public schools possible, can now change them in respect to use of part of the time used by them.

It has been officially ascertained that Catholic churches in the Dioceses of Arras, Verdun and Soissons, in the historical monuments classification alone suffered from German hands to the extent of \$195,000 of damage. The historical monuments are such churches as the official Historic Monuments Commission approved. This commission held data concerning all properties. Besides such edifices of the first class were many others, chiefly in rural areas, and of these 1,076 were totally destroyed, 570 seriously damaged, and 906 badly damaged. Little attempt has as yet been made to repair any of the monuments, or commission churches, and only 112 of the minor class have been put into shape for use. In all other cases temporary structures have been provided.

Methodist spring conferences are voting on the admission of laymen to membership in them. Only a few conferences have as yet been held. So far ministers to the number of 241 have themselves voted 512 to 41, not to do so. Laymen have included Philadelphia, one of the conferences so voting. Opinion seems to prevail that the present voting proposition will not prevail, but that if deferred as an earlier plan was. It is but will be defeated, that eventually laymen will be admitted, however, that eventually laymen will be admitted, when a better ratio is fixed, and Methodists North will, in this regard, stand as Wesleyans in England have long done, and as Methodists South stand in the District Conferences.

The Week In the Legislature
BY WM. J. ANDERSON.
MADISON, Wis.—Had it not been for the introduction of the substitute amendment to the Madison dry bill, this week's work of the legislature would have been regarded as the least eventful of the session thus far. The introduction of the substitute amendment, however, injected life into the weeks work and has given rise to no end of comment. In view of Governor Duane's attitude toward the Madison bill, reference to which was made in this correspondence last week, the substitute amendment is generally called his bill. The dry leaders, however, are not charging the governor with the authorship of the bill, they simply say that it is a "wet" measure, as it contains every provision for which the wets contend.

Talks on Citizenship
By D. O. Kinsman Ph. D.
Professor of Economics, Lawrence College and Educational Director of Wisconsin Society for Civic and Economic Education.
Questions of general interest pertaining to civics and economics will be answered in these columns. When space will not permit, letters will be personally answered, subject to proper limitation, and when a stamped, addressed envelope is enclosed. Address communications to Professor D. O. Kinsman, Lawrence College, Appleton, Wisconsin.

THE PROBLEM OF INCOME TAXATION
I am going to comply with the request to describe the very keen legislative fight which was necessary in order to place our state income tax law upon the statute books. I have decided to do so not simply because the act has come to be of nation-wide interest but because the details of its passage will make clear some of the details and tribulations which often beset a reasonably just measure while in the process of becoming a statute. Ten years have elapsed since the present income tax law was enacted, and not a few of those taking active part in its support or opposition have passed from active political life. Yet, the story of this legislative struggle has never been told. A series of circumstances brought the author of these articles into such intimate relation with the facts that they are still fresh in memory. The details he has on file, but will present here only those of general interest. Income has long been recognized as a most just measure of taxation paying ability. But so completely had American states failed in their varied attempts to levy an income tax that man, including experts, had concluded that such a tax could not be made to succeed. Yet, political leaders had long found the advocacy of an income tax to be popular with the common people. Some content that this popularity is due to a desire to escape taxation by shifting the burden to the shoulders of the rich; others contend that it is due to a keen sense of injustice which causes them to accept no income as the most just measure of one's ability to contribute to the support of the state. Undoubtedly, it is the latter reason that has made the tax so popular with students of finance. Be the cause what it may, the campaign of 1908 found both political parties of Wisconsin promising the people a state income tax. In the legislative session of 1909 several attempts were made to enact a law but without success. The seriousness of the task which sought to shift the basis of taxing ability from property to income had become apparent. Therefore, a special committee was appointed to prepare a measure to be submitted at the next session of the legislature. The committee presented its bill early in the session of 1911. It proved to be very imperfectly drawn. The defects were especially emphasized at a public hearing held by the joint committee having the measure in charge. At such a meeting any one—friend or foe to the measure—may speak. Several joined the lobbyists in opposing the measure. The author of these articles having recently made an intensive study of the income tax laws in the states of the Union had been asked to appear and give his opinion on it. He did so. The many objections presented to the bill caused its death. The opposition to income taxation rejoiced greatly. A few days after the hearing Dr. Charles McCarthy on behalf of the committee requested the author to secure a leave of absence from his regular duties and assist the committee in drafting a new measure. The seriousness of the undertaking and the bitterness of the opposition to income taxation caused him to hesitate. But a declaration that the party pledge would be fulfilled with some sort of income tax law accompanied by a plan to assist in making it the best law possible re-enforced by an appeal to patriotic duty—most effective in peace as well as in war—brought a promise to comply with the request. Governor McGovern was asked, "Do you wish the law of some other state modified to meet our conditions or do you wish a new law to be built up?" By doing the former the party pledge could be fulfilled—and also the ditch into which we would fall could be leached. For no state law had succeeded. The latter policy would at least give a new experience. Governor's reply commended only, "Draft a new law." The re-

quest was most gratifying because of its challenge. But scores of different problems arose immediately. The law must conform to the rules of taxation or it will be declared unconstitutional by the courts. It must be made as just as possible to prevent its enemies from accomplishing its defeat. Indeed, the net must be so just that the more the spotlight is turned upon it the more fully will it meet with popular approval. The many kinds of income coming from the greatest variety of sources located in this and other states and indeed in foreign countries must be so carefully defined as to ensure justice. The deductions for legitimate expenses in acquiring this income must be defined exactly. Those of individuals must be distinguished from those of corporations. Income exemption must be allowed individuals. Why allow none to corporations? A just tax rate must be determined. Should it be proportional or progressive? Should it be the same for individuals and corporations or different? And why? Provision must be made for effectively administering the law. How shall returns be made? Should the tax upon corporations be assessed the same as the tax upon individuals? How should the taxable income be determined? How can individuals and corporations be induced or compelled to report their entire taxable income? Here's the rub. How should the tax be collected and apportioned among the political units according to these and scores of other questions far reaching in their consequences had to be answered.

(One week later today Professor Kinsman will discuss "The Passage of Our Income Tax Law".)
Mortgages
What are the values of second and third mortgages, in case of failure of an estate? S. W.
Answer
A first mortgage including expenses of settlement must first be paid, then the second and finally the third. Should the estate be insufficient the loss is therefore sustained in reverse order, the holder of the third mortgage being the first loser.

"Hudson Seal" Explained
Hudson Seal is muskrat, clipped and dyed. It wears extremely well, and is seen everywhere. In long coats, in muffs, in short coats for fappers, trimmed with squirrel, opossum, or mink collars and cuffs, in long, voluminous wimps to be held closely about the figure—in the best shops on the avenue, and in all the smaller shops along the other shopping streets, Hudson seal is shown in great plenty. In buying Hudson seal look at it carefully to see that it is not made up of many two or three-inch pieces. Some of the long stores you see in cheap shops are made up of trimmings—infinitesimal bits sewn together. These, of course, do not wear.

"Good gracious, Mr. Dodge! What has happened to your coat. The buttonholes have all been torn out. What did it?"
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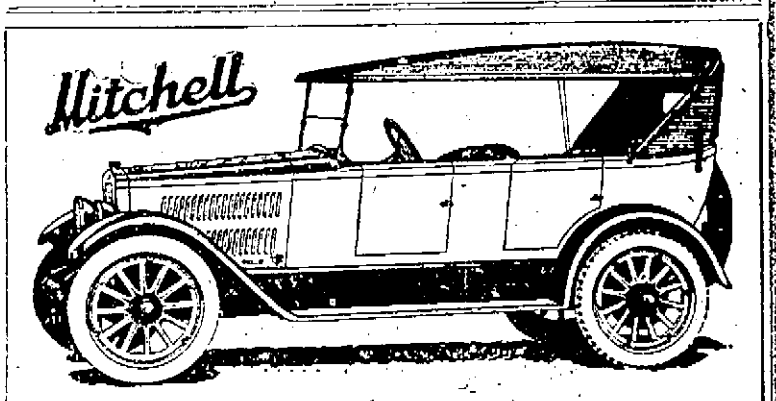
(Continued From Yesterday)
"I'm like a deer that's been hurt," said the young man. "I took to the woods. Wanted to be alone. You see, I had a lot of thinking to do—the kind of thinking that every man must do for himself. I've got the brush cleared away, at last, so I can see through. I had made up my mind to go down to your house for the night and was trying to decide whether I have energy enough to do it."
"Come on, it's only a short step," urged the big-hearted Bowlin. "The wife and babies are over to Beards-town. We'll have the whole place to ourselves. The feather beds are ladder high. I've got a bunch of venison buried in the larder and some prairie chickens that I killed yesterday, and, besides, I'm lonesome."
"What I feel the need of, just now, is a week or two of sleep," said Mr. Lincoln, as he rose and started down the long hill with his friend.
Some time later Bowlin Green gave Samson this brief account of what happened in and about the cabin:
"He wouldn't eat anything. He wanted to go down to the river for a dip, and I went with him. When we got back, I induced him to take off his clothes and get into bed. He was fast asleep in ten minutes. When night came, I went up the ladder to bed. He was still asleep when I came down in the morning. I went out and did my chores. Then I cut two venison steaks, each about the size of my hand, and a half moon of bacon. I pounded the venison to pulp with a little salt and bacon mixed in. I put it on the broiler and over a bed of Hickory coals. I got the coffee into the pot and up next to the fire and some potatoes in the ashes. I roasted a bird with bacon strips and put it into the roaster and set it back on the broiling bed. Then I made some biscuits and put 'em into the oven. I tell you, in a little while the smell of that fireplace would have 'twice the dead—honest!—Abe began to stir. In a minute I heard him call: "Say, Uncle Bowlin, I'm going to get up and out you out of home and home. I'm hungry and I feel like a new man. What time is it?"
"Tell me time clock by the time you're washed and dressed," I says.
"Well, I declare," says he, "I've had about sixteen hours of sleep. The world looks better to me this morning."
"He hurried into his clothes and we sat down at the table with the steak and the chicken and some wild grape jelly and baked potatoes, with new butter and coffee and cream and hot biscuit and clover honey, and say, we both eat till we was ashamed of it."
"At the table I told him a story and got a little laugh out of him. He stayed with me three weeks, choring around the place and taking it easy. He read all the books I had, until you and Doc Allen came with the law books. Then he pitched into them. I think he has changed a good deal since Ann died." He talks a lot about God and the hereafter."

In October young Mr. Lincoln returned to his surveying, and in the last month of the year to Vandavia for an extra session of the legislature, where he took a stand against the convention system of nominating candidates for public office. Samson went to Vandavia for a visit with him and to see the place before the session ended. The next year, in a letter to his brother, he says:
"Vandavia is a small, crude village. It has a strong flavor of whisky, profanity and tobacco. The night after I got there I went to a banquet with Abe Lincoln. I heard a lot about the dam near-by Yankees who were trying to ruin the state and country with abolition. There were some stories like those we used to hear in the lumber camp, and no end of powerful talk, in which the names of God and the savior were roughly handled. A few of the statesmen got drunk, and after the dinner was over two of them jumped on the table and danced down the whole length of it, shattering plates and cups and saucers and glasses. Nobody seemed to be able to stop them. I hear that they had to pay several hundred dollars for the damage done. You will be apt to think that there is too much liberty here in the west, and perhaps that is so, but the fact is these men are not half so bad as they seem to be. Lincoln tells me that they are honest almost to a man and sincerely devoted to the public good as they see it. I asked Abe Lincoln, who all his life has associated with rough fellows, drink, ing men, how he had managed to hold his own course and keep his talk and habits so clean."
"Why, the fact is," said he, "I have associated with the people who lived around me only part of the time, but I have never stopped associating with myself and with Washington and Clay and Webster and Shakespeare and Burns and DeFoer and Scott and Blackstone and Emerson. On the whole, I've been in pretty good company."
(To Be Continued)

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Literature regarding the planting and cultivating of back yard and vacant lot gardens can be secured from the county agricultural school or from the horticultural society and if addressed to the Chamber of Commerce, will be forwarded and the literature ordered sent to those who desire.

The garden committee of the chamber offers a series of prizes well worth winning for both back yard and school gardens.

Home gardens helped materially to win the war. There are thousands of people who have ample time to take care of a small garden and in addition to the material advantage of vegetables at almost no cost, there is the matter of conserving the food supply for the millions of under-nourished children and adults as well, all over the world.

Many people cannot force themselves to take proper exercise, but they can work and enjoy putting in their spare time in gardening, and secure all the

same time a new security of health which otherwise might be sacrificed to the monotony of their daily occupations.

Owners of vacant lots in the city have shown the usual spirit of generosity and good feeling in donating the use of their property. Those who use it are under no obligation except to leave it in as good condition as when they took it in charge, which they invariably do.

ADMIRAL BAILEY DEAD
EL PASO, Tex.—Rear Admiral Frank H. Bailey, retired, 60 years old, died suddenly at the union station here Saturday morning, while waiting for a train. He was on his way home to Towanda, N. Y. and had been in El Paso a week.

WRECK VICTIM DIES
SOMERSET, Ky.—Ephraim Richmond of Esport, Mich. died here Saturday as a result of injuries received in the wreck of the Southern Railway at New River, Tenn., making the fifth fatality from the wreck.

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SOCIALISTS DENIED INJUNCTION TO BAR POLICE INTERFERENCE

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Judge J. M. Swearingen of the common pleas court Saturday refused to grant a preliminary injunction to the socialist party restraining city police officials from interfering in a proposed meeting of that organization Sunday.

It had been planned to have George Fitzpatrick of New York and James H. Maurer, president of the Pennsylvania Federation of Labor, address the assembly.

The court took the position it had no jurisdiction as there were no property rights involved.

Previously Director of Public Safety H. J. Alderice had told the court it would be dangerous to permit the proposed meeting on account of the large number of unemployed. He

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referred to Fitzpatrick and Maurer as congress. Failure to obtain a loan in the United States is believed to be by federal authorities that it would be dangerous to allow these men to direct to close the bank.

CUBAN BANK CLOSED

HAVANA.—The Banco Nacional de Cuba suspended payment Saturday morning. The bank remained closed the bank taking advantage of the legislation law recently adopted by

Snail Came to Life

There is a story by the attendants at the British museum of a snail which was brought from Egypt in 1845 and placed in a can and in a case where it remained for five years when it was noticed that there was a

growth about the mouth. The snail was taken out and placed in water, whereupon it became very much alive and ate cabbage leaves.

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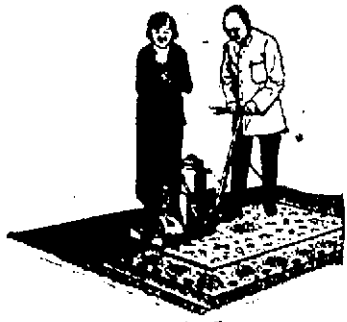
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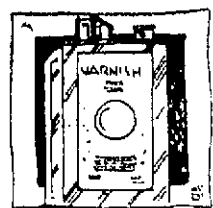


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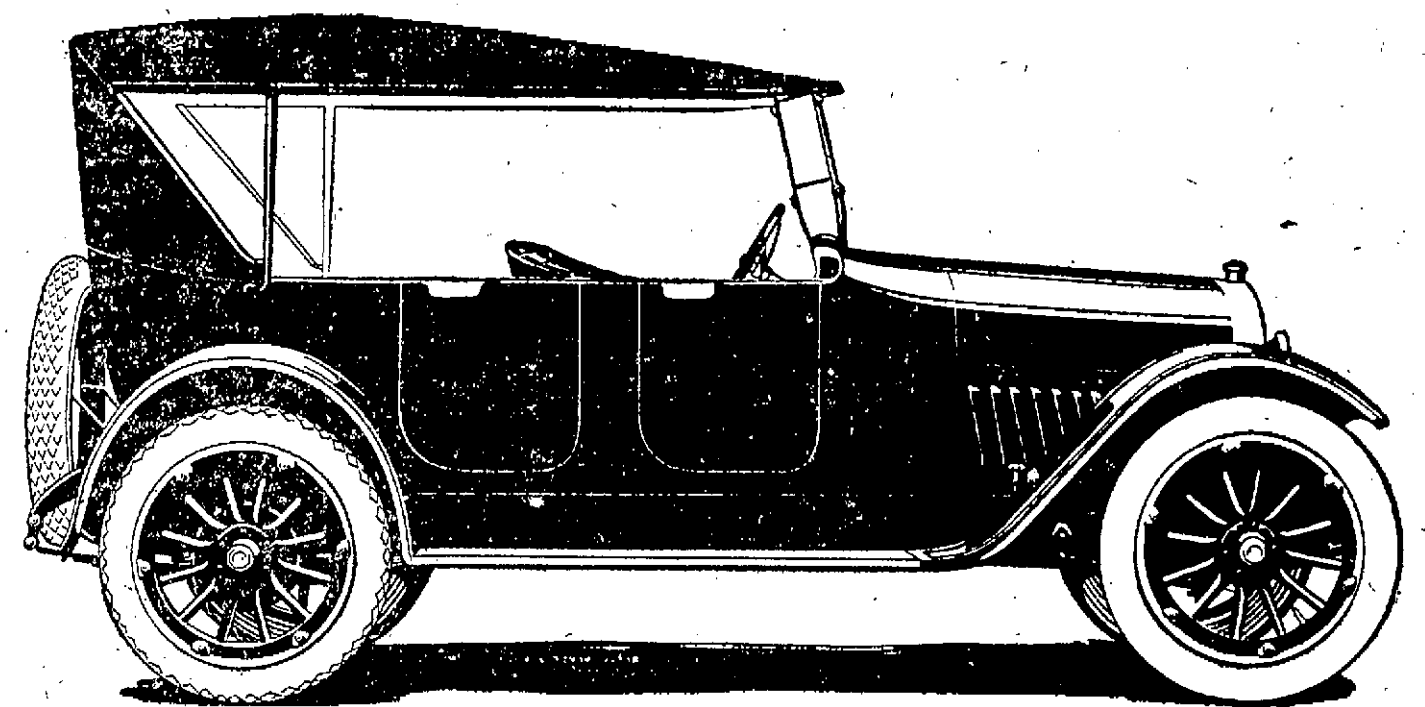
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NAMES OF FORMER CITIZENS IDENTIFIED WITH SOCIETY

Many Duties Connected With Daily Work of Organization

The Associated Charities of La Crosse, incorporated on November 21, 1912, under the title of "The Associated Charities of La Crosse and the La Crosse Humane Society," is the outgrowth of the old Humane society which was established in the city on May 12, 1881. After thirty years the present organization was formed out of the former society known as the Humane society.

The Associated Charities of La Crosse was organized in 1912 with the object of bringing together and associating all charitable societies and individuals for the purpose of making more useful the efforts of each. It was to act as a central bureau of information and a clearing house for benevolence. In addition the organization was designed to serve as an endorsement bureau for all other philanthropic organizations and individuals, either foreign or local, desiring to solicit funds in the community of La Crosse.

Promote Public Health

By a friendly co-operation with all who were interested in social betterment, this corporation hoped to help in removing both cause and effect of poverty, to promote public health and morals and to bring needy families to a normal plane of living by the giving of material relief and training services. The work of the association is supervised by a board of nineteen directors elected by the community members of the association, together with a field agent and general secretary elected by the board and employed for full time service. Meetings of the board are held each month.

The association is supported by membership dues and contributions. Any person is eligible to become a member upon the payment of the stipulated amount annually, and is thereby entitled to take an active advisory interest in the work, to vote at all meetings held for members and to receive annual and any other reports of work done or planned. The beginning of the fiscal year for the society is October 1, and the regular annual meeting of members is held the third Tuesday in that month. At this time the officers and board of

directors are elected for the coming year.

Has Many Duties

Because the Associated Charities is a social agency, it has taken over a large variety of duties including those of the social worker, human officer, travelers' aid, transient officer, home-finding agent, and in fact assuming a social responsibility for every social service needed in the community. The visiting nurse service which has been lately taken over by the city health department and which has become prominent in asserting an influence for better health, was instituted in 1913 by the Associated Charities board, with Marie Peterson and her student nurse working out from the local office.

The first meeting for the organization of the Humane society, out of which the present organization grew, was called on March 25, 1881, following a public sentiment for the institution of such an organization. The meeting was held in the offices of Dr. Edgar Palmer. Charles Seymour was chosen chairman of the initial meeting with Dr. Palmer as secretary. Following a discussion of the proposed organization of the society the question was put to a vote and unanimously adopted by the committee. At a meeting for the purpose of the election of officers, L. W. Brigham was chosen as president, Dr. Edgar Palmer, secretary, and Mrs. G. C. Nixon was elected as the treasurer. These officers formed a committee vested with the powers of drawing up a constitution and by-laws.

First Directors

Upon vote the following were made members of the La Crosse Humane society: Mayor Clarke, ex-Mayor Edwards, Charles Seymour, J. W. Loscy, Mons Anderson, G. A. Metzger, Rev. Balch, Rev. Brigham,

Jesse Williams, Dr. Hoegh, Dr. Palmer, Dr. Reuggie, Mr. Cram, F. A. Husher, E. Wilson, W. P. Powers, A. Steinlein, J. Legier, A. Hershberger, W. W. Estick, W. H. Lamb, L. S. Truesdell, Frank Walker, S. Martin, Mrs. G. C. Nixon, Mrs. W. P. Powers, Mrs. L. W. Brigham and Mrs. E. Palmer.

The first president of the association after its incorporation under the new title was E. S. Hebbard, who has held that office since that time. The first vice presidents of the incorporated association were the Reverend Ambrose Murphy and the Reverend Henry Parvill. The first treasurer, T. H. Spence, who held the office in the Humane society since, 1908, resigned at the last annual meeting, terminating a ten year period of service with the organization. T. H. Spence, J. H. McConnell and E. S. Hebbard have served as members of the board of directors since the incorporation of the association.

Present Officers

The first general secretary of the organization was Miss Winifred Salisbury, who held the office from October, 1912, to October, 1914, being followed by Miss Nadia Thomas. The present general secretary of the association is Miss Helen Dyson, who was elected to the position at the annual meeting held October 1, 1919. Miss Elizabeth Davis, being appointed the first registrar of the association in June, 1916, was succeeded by the present incumbent, Miss Dorothy Wing.

The present officers of the organi-

zation and the board of directors are as follows: E. S. Hebbard, president; Miss Anna Mashek and J. H. McConnell, vice presidents; A. R. McKinnon, treasurer; The board: H. J. Hershberger, C. G. Bowdison, Otto Schulbach, G. Van Steenwyk, Mrs. L. P. Easton, Bertha Schumann, Mrs. W. H. Finch, Miss Mary Devine, Dr. Edward Evans, R. G. Kantson, Charlotte Kohn and Mrs. E. C. Thompson.

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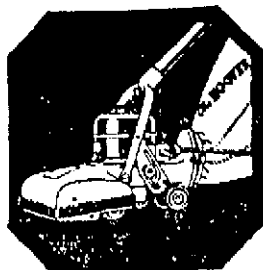
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SON AND OVERSEER MAY ALSO BE TRIED

Prosecutor Claims Evidence 3 More Blacks Were Killed

COVINGTON, Ga.—Convicted of murder in connection with the Jasper county peonage cases and sentenced to life imprisonment, John S. Williams, plantation owner, was taken to Atlanta late Saturday to await in jail until April 20 on his motion for a new trial. He appeared to take his conviction calmly.

The conviction of Williams in Newton county brought from Solicitor General Campbell of Jasper county, where eight of the bodies of negroes involved in the peonage investigation were found, the statement that indictments against Williams, three of his sons and Clyde Manning, his negro plantation foreman, on charges of murder of a total of fourteen negroes, would be sought at the grand jury investigation beginning Monday at Monticello.

Solicitor Campbell stated he had evidence indicating that in addition to the eleven negroes whose bodies were found, eight in Jasper and three in Newton county, at least three others were killed and their bodies thrown into a pond.

MADDEN-MAGINN DUO WIN SIX-DAY GRIND

CHICAGO, Ill.—Eddie Madden and Jake Maginn won the six day bicycle race which ended Saturday night, scoring 987 points and covering 2,182 miles. Kockler and Hill were second with 807½ points. Lorenz and Weber third with 699½ and the Belgian team of Reilens and De Graevens automatically took fourth place, the other contestants all being a lap behind and not eligible in the final sprints.

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STRIKING MINERS AND OWNERS AGREE TO GET TOGETHER

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negotiating the wage question on a national basis, as claimed by the miners. It is not absolutely certain, however, that the government will go that far with respect to wages.

U. S. Gets the Business

NEW YORK—The British nitrate strike is driving foreign coal business to the United States, Charles A. Owen, president of the Tidewater Coal exchange, announced Saturday night.

False Teeth of Paper

False teeth are being made of paper in Germany. They are manufactured from the same variety of pulp which enters into the composition of many novelties in the paper line. Paper teeth are said to afford satisfaction, not only in retaining their color well, but being unable to chip than ordinary false teeth.

The Obstacle

"Your oil well seems to be progressing very slowly toward the consummation devoutly to be wished—namely, oil," we were told. "First, you lost your drill in the hole and had to fish for it. Then you lost your fishing tools and had to fish for them. Next you lost your fishing line and had to fish for it. Finally, you lost your fishing hook and had to fish for it. What now, I prithee, tell us in the hole?"

"The stockholders," frankly replied the naive promoters.—Kansas City Star.

The coal shortage has given the Swiss no alternative but to electricity the remainder of their roads and the work is being pressed vigorously. In Italy also Dr. Parsons found that electrification of railroads is being expedited rapidly. The Swiss Government paid a month ago sold \$25,000,000 of 8 per cent bonds, the proceeds to be used in this country as part of its program for the electrification of the Government railway system.

The financial troubles of 1907 had their first rumblings in far off Egypt and Japan. These countries were first to feel the depression in 1920.

Y. W. C. A. GIRLS TO PRESENT OLD-TIME MUSIC IN SETTING OF AN OLD-FASHIONED GARDEN

SEMI-FINAL rehearsals for the Y. W. C. A. Spring Fete were held on the stage of the La Crosse theatre Friday evening in preparation for the entertainment to be given by association girls on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of this week. The dress rehearsal will be held on Monday evening at the theatre.

and at 8:15 Tuesday evening the curtain is scheduled to rise upon a production of a nature never before attempted in the city.

The gratifying sale of tickets by committees and at the theatre box office bespeaks a liberal patronage on the part of citizens; however, while the advance sale has been heavy, there are a number of desirable seats still to be had. Members of the board of directors of the association will occupy box seats on the opening night of the Fete, and the Business Women's club of the Y. W. will fill the boxes for the second performance.

The cast of the production includes girls of all ages, upwards of 125 of them, ranging from the tiniest lassie of the junior gymnasium department to the mildest senior, impersonating in song and dance such widely diversified characters as elves, fairies, butteflies, Colonial dames and their es-

orts, Captain Jinks and his bodyguard, woodland nymphs, ghosts and goblins, and all the storybook children of Mother Goose's domain. All departments of the Y. W. C. A. are represented in the Spring Fete.

Carrying out the central theme of the production, described as "Memories of an old-fashioned garden," the girls will have as setting a charming garden, with its white picket fence, behind which and behind tall, graceful hollyhocks of variegated hues and its rose hedges and all the other old-fashioned posies reminiscent of old-fashioned times. Costumes, too, will be in keeping with the character of the Fete, the task of outfitting the participants proving no small one.

Many of the dancing costumes have been fashioned by the clever fingers of committee members, while the more elaborate ones have been secured from a Minneapolis costume house.

Modern "Jazz" has been eliminated from the Spring Fete, and the music will be of the old-fashioned variety, the melodies everyone knows, and loves, sung by a chorus of half a hundred girls voices under the direction of Mrs. Robert C. Whelpley, (Choral work is a new feature of the event of the association, having been organized some two months ago, with rehearsals once a week.

THINGS MUSICAL

MUSIC as advertising, that is a use of the art sanctioned by custom long continued. The side show at the circus and fair have music of a sort to augment the efforts of the barkers, the street corner missionary announces himself with cornet and drum, the moving picture theaters class their orchestras as first rate advertising and it seems safe to say the church music has an advertising as well as an inspirational motive. Hardly an endeavor frivolous or serious now-a-days but tries to make itself heard first through music.

The higher quality of the thing advertised the more important it is to have first class advertising. Cheap advertising suggests tawdry wares and therein lies one hope for the use of the musical art in this field. Who shall say that the love of beauty among the masses has been injured by the adaptation of the painters' art to advertising? So let it be with music.

CO-OP BOOKSTORE



Miss Margaret Wood is campaigning for a co-operative bookstore on the campus at Ohio State university. Only students of the school will be allowed to buy common stock carrying voting power.

The Elks' band is "boosting" the order of Elks and the city of La Crosse. Party-two men have pledged their services for a year's time in this interest. With so good a motive the organization must perform use the finer grade of advertising possible, and the Friday concert will prove both the quality of their advertising and that of their work.

The Elks' Glee club, formed during the winter through the efforts of Dr. J. H. Gatterdam, will appear under the direction of Professor Thornton in this program. Twelve excellent voices compose this chorus of which the members are the following: Messrs. Kerr, Marshall, Dahl, Worth, Blestad, Roudsvelt, Gatterdam, Hirsch, Helmer, Bizer, Roberts and Soule. The club is doing some beautiful work and will give four numbers which should give adequate evidence of ability and versatility. They are "Miller's Wailing," by Eaton Fanning; "The Kipling 'Recessional,'" in the De Koven setting; "The Owl and the Pussy Cat," also by De Koven, and "Dreaming," by Shelley.

WISCONSIN AT WASHINGTON

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the republican caucus and then abandoned. Sales tax bills will be introduced in the house and senate this session but according to program the bill is to be passed in the senate either with the revenue bill or soldiers' bonus bill, and it passed there it will be inserted in conference—if possible.

Mrs. Marvin Rosenberry of Madison, as president of the Association of College Alumnae, was among the guests at a reception to members of the organization attending their convention here at a reception rendered by the Congressional club of which Mrs. Irvine L. Leinart, wife of the senator, is president.

Mrs. Leinart will be among those assisting Mrs. Henry Wilder Keyes, first national vice president of the League of American Pen Women, at a reception for members of the organization who will meet here next week in convention. The reception will take place at the Congressional club and will be one of numerous social events marking the gathering.

Mrs. Leinart is one of the prominent women of Washington sponsoring the cause of the Day Nursery and Dispensary association which gave a card party for the benefit of the children under the care of the organization.

Mrs. Paul S. Reusch, wife of the former ambassador to China and the former democratic candidate for the United States senate in Wisconsin, was among the prominent persons attending the Chinese relief ball, the largest social event of the week in Washington. Mrs. Reusch appeared in a beautiful Chinese gown.

The officers of the Washington branch of the Wisconsin Alumni association have been playing to obtain the variety movie to show at their meeting here in May. They have been in communication with the Edwin Booth society of the university to obtain information about the release of the picture.

San Francisco has more telephone per capita than any other large city.

MYRTLE ERICKSON BECOMES THE BRIDE OF ARTHUR PERSO

Miss Gladys Powell, Minneapolis and Thornton Hack, Eau Claire, United in Marriage

SPARTA, Wis.—(Special)—Arthur Perso, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perso of Sparta, and Myrtle Erickson, of Spooner, Minn. were united in marriage at the Lutheran parsonage in this city, Saturday, March 26. Mrs. Perso has been employed for some time at the home of Carl Homstad at the Portland store. She is a graduate of the Cashon schools, and is well known in the vicinity of Canton and Portland. Mr. Perso has charge of a large herd of cattle belonging to that place, and the young couple will reside on a farm in the near vicinity of Sparta.

Announcements have been received in the city of the marriage of Miss Gladys Powell, of Minneapolis and Mr. Thornton Hack of Eau Claire. The ceremony took place Monday in the Episcopal church at Eau Claire, the pastor officiating. After the wedding ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Hack went to the Twin Cities on a short wedding trip. They will reside in Eau Claire. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. T. J. Powell, of Big Creek, and has been a trained nurse in Minneapolis for several years.

The following marriage licenses were granted last week by County Clerk Alex. L. Nield: Ferdinand Schreder, Cashion, Helen Weber, La Crosse; Peter J. Koessler, Vernon County and Anna Rehauer, Cashion; Ferdinand Sommerfeld and Frances Selfow, Warrens; Albert Fredericks and Elmore Geler, Cashion.

The annual Thank Offering service of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society was a public service last Sunday evening, with an appropriate sermon by the pastor. It was forty years since the Thank offering was inaugurated. Thursday evening closed the Christian Training school. The pastor had a message for each class. A social hour followed, after which refreshments were served. The school has been a great success, and well attended.

The Ladies of the Angelo church served one of their popular suppers on Wednesday evening, in the dining room of the church. A good crowd was in attendance, a number from Sparta going up as usual to enjoy the good things.

The Polly Anna Bridge Club were entertained last week on Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. William G. Liss at Tomah. The afternoon was spent in playing bridge, after which an elaborate four course luncheon was served. The party returned home on the five o'clock train. The favors at cards went to Mrs. Elmer Noack and Mrs. Charles Brandt.

Thirteen members of the Sparta Odd Fellows Lodge were entertained Tuesday evening of last week by the Tomah lodge at Tomah. A number from Mauston were also present and put on second degree work.

The Royal Neighbors Sewing circle met Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. E. Hildison, West Main street.

The Thimble Club met with Mrs. Earl Hildison, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. L. P. Schleppe was hostess to the N and C club on Tuesday of last week.

The Alexanderian Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. E. A. Clark on North Water street.

Mrs. F. B. Herman entertained the Lower Big Creek Club at her home on Friday afternoon.

The Rebekah Sewing Circle met Wednesday, April 6. A picnic supper was served and a social evening enjoyed.

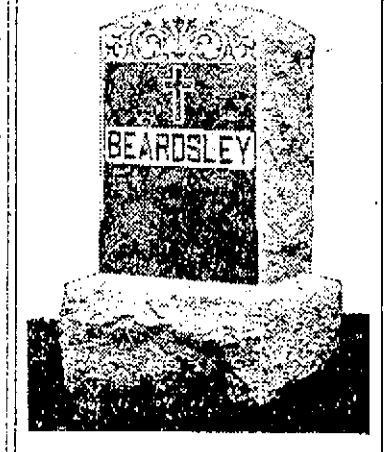
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hollaback entertained a company of friends at cards, Wednesday evening at their home on East Franklin street.

Mrs. William R. Crosby entertained a large company of friends at bridge Thursday afternoon. A five o'clock luncheon was served.

The Girl Scouts went on a hike Saturday afternoon. On their return, they enjoyed a supper prepared by the Domestic Science girls, and in the evening formed a happy party at the theater.

Programs are being issued for the observance of Mothers' Day, at the Morrow Memorial Home for the Aged, Sunday, May 8.

Captain and Mrs. Harold Markham and son have returned home from Washington D. C. where Captain



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IN THE SPORT MIRROR

BY "BANGS"

With the spring training season rapidly drawing to a close clubs of the major leagues are at present to be seen coming over the horizon from the sunny fields of the south, working their way, game by game and edging nearer to the place of their opening contest scheduled for the thirteenth of April, which is the official opening date of the major league.

Like infantry companies emerging from the field of battle, the clubs are returning from the annual grind better for their experience and minus the services of recruits who were sent back to "blighty" when they were unable to withstand the tests to which they were subjected.

Perhaps the greatest contrast between the 1920 and 1921 make-up of the various major league clubs as they face the starter at their respective posts on April 13, can be seen in the Chicago White Sox and Cleveland Indians' aggregations.

The former club, by reason of the indictment of eight of its players for alleged throwing of the 1919 world's series, has been renovated and as a result is composed of pick-ups from the various association and international league clubs. Three former members of the Baltimore Orioles, international league champions, have been purchased by the Sox management.

On the other hand, the Cleveland Indians will step into the '21 race with the same crew of veterans which won the pennant honors last year. Tris Speaker is well satisfied with the results of the pre-season work and expresses confidence that his team will be able to turn the trick again this season.

Regarding the possibilities of the success of baseball in the city of La Crosse, we have here a contribution by a former Pennsylvanian on the subject:

"That La Crosse can furnish a winning baseball team no one who is familiar with the material here will doubt. And it is not too much to hope that the organization of a team here may become in short order a feeder for the big leagues in the matter of star performers. The place which baseball occupies in the hearts of the American people is due in no small measure to the fact that the back lot, the school ground, the college campus and the semi-pro teams provide the material for the big stuff for tomorrow's champions.

"Scores of towns some smaller than La Crosse, are supporting teams today at an expense of ten, fifteen and twenty thousand dollars a year. Old City, Pa., spent the latter amount last year and came through in its shape. The year before, Franklin, Pa., had Scott Perry, champion pitcher of the Athletics in the lineup near the end of the season. Such leagues as the Tri-State in the east and the Three I in the middle west are great producers of prominent players.

"The advertising value of a baseball team is greater than any other man-made method of getting the town before the outside world. Agricultural prominence, picturesque scenery, medicinal waters and many simular things require the basic co-operation of Mother Nature; but a baseball team springs out of the manhood in the place where it comes into being and performs its service. And if it is a winner, the press copies the deeds of valor which it does in the surrounding territory, out through the state and finally all over the nation.

"It is a money-maker for a town even if the team doesn't show a profit for it brings thousands of people into a town during the season and sends the team out of town carrying the story of the home town into scores of other communities. Get behind the La Crosse team and boost for the fund to give them a good season, and during the season come out and root for their success on the diamond."

Markham has been under treatment at the Walter Reed Hospital for several months past. He was given his discharge from the army in March. In Chicago, they were met by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benedict, who have been spending the winter in California and all came home together.

Rev. E. K. Horst, pastor of the Methodist church in Sparta, has recently been engaged to conduct the music at the Epworth League Institution which will be held at Lake Koshong, Wis., the latter part of July, for one week. He has also accepted an invitation to preach the sermon Aug. 7, at Camp Cleghorn Assembly Chautauque. The official Board has released him from his duties here at these times to permit him to accept these invitations.

Rev. Horst has also been asked to be the chorister for the annual convention of the Wisconsin Christian Endeavor Union, June 23-26 at Neenah and Menasha.

Friday evening, the Ladies Auxiliary of the Congregational church served its regular monthly public supper. It was a delicious supper, well served.

At the Oratorical contest held in Tomah last week, Sparta was represented by Joseph Morris and Kenneth Zahre. Fred Hankerson of La Crosse won first place, Kenneth Zahre, second place and Milton Lenz of Tomah, third. Hankerson will represent the district at the State contest held at Madison, in the near future.

The Athena Club had a fine program at its meeting last week, consisting of piano solo, Miss Brandt, Original April Book, Essay, Florence Tucker, Reading, Blanche Hamman; Program of Parodies, Lillian Horst and other girls; Violin solo, Rachel Frazer; Parliamentary practice.

The Jefferson Debating Club enjoyed several selected poems and talks, and a debate on the subject, Resolved that all teachers in the United States should receive a minimum wage of \$100 per month for twelve months. Affirmative, Walter Jesse, Arthur Meisner, Negative, Earl Molstad-Harold, Helden, Parliamentary practice followed.

Dr. S. D. Beebe was in attendance at a meeting of the State Board of Directors of the State Medical Society last week.

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DEMPSEY FINISHES STAGE SEASON; WILL TRAIN FOR BIG GO

SEATTLE, Wash.—Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion, who has been appearing at a local vaudeville theatre this week, completed his theatrical contract Saturday night and will leave Sunday for the east to go into training for his match July 2 with Georges Carpentier. He will be accompanied by Teddy Hayes, secretary; Terry Keller, sparring partner, and "Bud" Ridley, champion of the Pacific coast featherweight championship.

CARD OF THANKS

The officers and members of the Wilson Colwell Relief Corps wish to thank the public who answered the solicitations of Mrs. A. Haze for funds to purchase a silk flag for the Grand Army Post and also thank Mr. L. W. White for the flag he presented to the corps.

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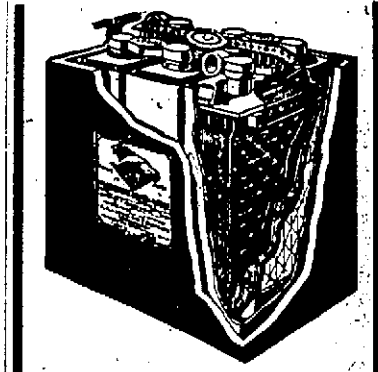
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"You never miss the water till the well runs dry."
You never miss the gas, the electric current or the water that is piped to your comfortable city home until—Well, nearly everybody will recall last Wednesday morning when they arose, pattered to the kitchen in slippers, put the coffee pot on the gas stove, turned on the valve and—no gas rushed forth. And all the rattling and turning of the valve wouldn't do any good, you will remember. The burner remained cold and lifeless.

And then began a day in many homes in La Crosse in which many a family prepared a meal in the most primitive manner. All else, after a manner of speaking, was forgotten. The usual breakfast of cereal, milk, and a cold slice of toast or two or as it turned out in many cases, without any breakfast at all. It was a real red letter day in the kitchen of nearly all homes.

Here are some of the things that occurred as a result of the shutting off of the gas supply:

Community breakfasts were served in all sections of the city. The housewife with a fine coal-burner going full tilt in the kitchen was besieged by her neighbors for assistance in cooking meals.

Drug stores reported an unprecedented sale of wood alcohol for chafing dishes.

Hardware dealers did a "land office" business in electrical goods, such as electric percolators, grills and toasters and small oil stoves.

Second hand dealers were nearly cleaned out of oil stoves.

More meals were cooked on electrical apparatus and utensils than ever before in the history of the city.

Koffee Klatch in One Home

One South Sixteenth street matron who had a roaring fire going in the old kitchen range early in the day had a continuous koffee klatch in progress in her home from morning until night, nearly every neighbor for a block in all directions dropping in at least once during the day to sip a cup of coffee, nibble at a cookie and discuss the "catastrophe."

A North side woman who had several pieces of electrical cooking utensils, arose Wednesday morning and, finding the gas shut off, filled the electric percolator and took it to a neighbor who had a coal stove to cook it. She forgot that the coffee could be made by attaching the electric plug in a socket and turning the switch, just as well as on a coal stove, until her daughter called her attention to the oversight.

Practically every home in which there was an electric iron or grill or toaster made use of them to boil coffee, eggs and make toast. It was tough on the irons, this task that was put on them but many withstood the strain and passed through the ordeal with their elements still in working order, others of course were burned out. The grills did the jobs the best of all, with the roasters a close second owing to the diffusion of heat, which in the cases of irons and grills was more concentrated.

Electrical Goods in Demand

Early Wednesday there was a rush to buy electrical goods, new and second hand oil stoves and denatured alcohol. One Main street druggist said the sale of denatured alcohol was trebled, people buying it for chafing dishes. The entire stock of oil stoves in the store of a Pearl street second hand dealer went so fast the proprietor and salespeople were nearly dizzy from the speed at which they had to make sales to satisfy the people who came for the emergency stoves.

Various expedients were resorted to by the downtown restaurants to cook dishes for their patrons. For instance, at the Bodega saloon, a plumber's blow torch was placed under the coffee boiler and hot coffee was soon obtained. At the American lunch room Art Timp, proprietor, kept a pot of coffee boiling all day on a small oil stove on the counter. At the Banner and New Dairy lunch rooms oil stoves soon had coffee boiling merrily and other foods were prepared as usual, a little slower probably, but just as well cooked as ever.

Some queer things happened to the men who braved the wrath of folks who were routed out of their beds to admit them to the cellar to close the gas meter. As soon as the gas was shut off at the plant, at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday night, J. G. Felton, manager of the Wisconsin-Minnesota Light and Power company, took his station at his desk in the company's office and prepared to meet the emergency.

At 2 a. m. a crew was started out to shut off meters in the homes of La Crosse. In a few minutes sleepy voices began calling Mr. Felton on the phone asking him if there were men going from house to house with instructions to shut off meters. They were assured the men were authorized to do that very thing.

"Everybody who called up seemed satisfied after I explained matters to them, that it was all right to admit

the men to their homes," said Mr. Felton. "I told them they were not robbers who were playing a ruse on the people so they could get in and kill them and rob their houses. Virtually the entire city showed great consideration for the predicament the company and they as consumers were in. The people co-operated with us in every possible way. They were not critical nor nagging, neither did they vent their wrath upon me when they would call up to ask what was the trouble or seek to learn when the gas would be turned on again. Everybody seemed to be making the best of the situation."

"The first meter was opened again at 1:25 Wednesday afternoon. No gas was available in the homes for nearly 15 hours. The need for just such a step as was taken was most

aply illustrated by the remarks of a man whom I met on Main street Wednesday afternoon. He said that his wife had lighted the water heater Tuesday night. After it had been burning for a time, she went to the room where it was located to shut it off, said the man. Just as she opened the door she noticed the flames dying down. She had arrived at the heater at the moment the gas was being shut off at the plant. Had she waited a while longer and then gone to extinguish the burner and found it out, she might have thought she had turned it out, left the burner open and then after we retired, the gas would have come back in the pipes and we probably would have been asphyxiated."

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At least one instance is reported where the men who turned off the meters in the early morning hours met with a warm reception. When the gas company employee called at a house near Fourteenth and Redfield streets and pounded on the door, his

summons was answered by a stout woman in night attire. She appeared at the door holding a lighted lamp in front of her. Behind her was her husband, a rather small man—and he was armed with a gun. It took considerable explanation to convince the couple that the gas man's call was entirely honest of purpose and intention.

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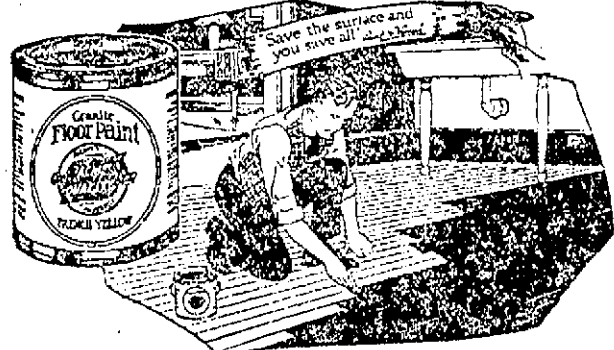
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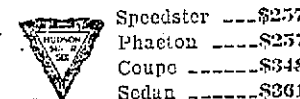


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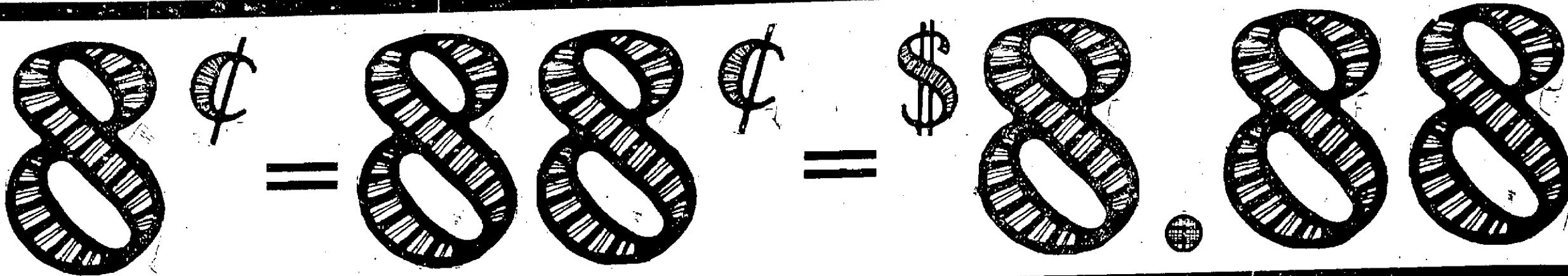
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Made of a very fine quality of outing flannel, cut full, well made, elaborately trimmed with silk stitching and embroidery, not so very long ago you paid \$2.50 for these, now you may buy them each at... **88c**
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An extra fine Tennis Racket, special during this sale at... **88c**

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No. 8 Grey Enamel Tea Kettles, while they last, **88c** each
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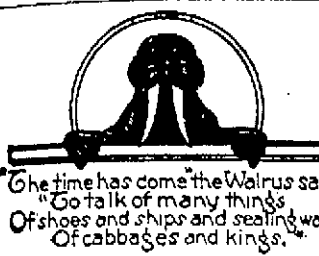
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An all silk lined Suit of all wool material, beautifully tailored and up-to-the-minute in style, at only... **\$18.88**

The La Crosse Tribune

and Leader-Press

The Walrus



The time has come the Walrus said
To talk of many things
Of shoes and ships and sealing wax
Of cabbages and kings.

BY C. A. W.

Judge Herman Langstadt, who enjoys the reputation of being one of the youngest octogenarians in this neck of the woods, will celebrate his eighty-fourth birthday tomorrow. To most men who pass the allotted three score years and ten milestone, each birthday seems like another step toward the time of passing out of this vale of tribulations and strife, but birthdays mean nothing in the young life of Judge Langstadt except an occasion for rejoicing—a day of good cheer and festive sociability, of happy greetings and hearty companionship, of red-blooded, real life. The judge tipped off his secret recipe for keeping young at the Elks bowlers' banquet last Thursday night, when he told the gang that he maintained his youthful spirit by associating with young men and enjoying their activities. And to prove it, he made two cracking good speeches during the evening, putting enough pep and snap in his talks to do credit to the foreboding effort of a thirty-year-old man. If you don't believe the judge is a youngster, meet him on his eighty-fourth birthday and bask in the sunshine of his snappy eyes and kindly smile. Here's hoping Judge Langstadt will live to enjoy a heap of birthdays.

Speaking of birthdays reminds me of hearing of another important anniversary which comes this week. It will be forty years Tuesday since Dr. E. A. Gatterdam opened a dental office in this city. "Doc" Gatterdam is an example of the type of businessman who finds pleasure, recreation and health in wholesome sports. He belongs to the La Crosse club, sixties bowling team and seldom misses a game, can flick a bass fly across the water with the best of 'em and bring home a string of black beauties that would make Isaac Walton's mouth water. He takes a keen interest in various outdoor sports, and gets a full measure of enjoyment out of life.

I saw an item in the Winona Republican-herald a few days ago relating that four La Crosse families, unable to find homes in this city, had written to authorities in that city seeking houses in which to live. This was a rather startling item and I hastened forthwith to ascertain just what the condition was in this burgh respecting vacant houses. Real estate men assured me there was a woeful shortage of houses to rent here, and that about the only chance a family had to get a home in this beautiful city was to buy a place. Aside from a few scattered dwellings located in different parts of the city a majority of which are undergoing renovation about the only vacant houses in La Crosse are the few attractive, modern residences at Ciss and Twenty-first streets which the Housing Corporation has for sale. And these houses, which are just receiving their finishing touches, have begun to move and will undoubtedly soon be gone. Walter Erickson, I am told, purchased and moved, with his family, into the largest house in this group, during the past week. Archie Olberg tells me that with the advent of spring, prospects for other houses in this group are beginning to appear in numbers and it would not be surprising to see curtains at the windows of all these residences inside of a few weeks. These houses and others in La Crosse, which real estate men are offering, can be purchased on easy payments, and really, there does not seem to be any excuse for a man with a steady job and an ambition to have a home of his own, moving to Winona or any other place when there are handsome and comfortable houses still available here.

A good many persons in La Crosse and throughout the country who have missed Rev. Kneen and wife during the past year or two will be pleased to learn that the former assemblyman of the Second district and his better half are on their way back to Wisconsin, traveling from California in their car, and are due to arrive here about the time the trout season opens. I don't blame the Kneens at all for spending their winters in California, but I know their neighbors and friends up in Bangor and vicinity would not feel right about it if they did not show up in the state in the good old summer time. And it's a cinch Mr. and Mrs. Kneen will feel as happy as kids when their car rounds the curve near Orin Fletcher's farm and they see the cannery chimney and the church spires of good old Bangor local up once more.

Appropriations for the conservation commission are running so close that commissioners are requiring fish clubs to pay express on fish fry shipped from them from the state hatcheries. "Our funds are low," explained W. E. Barber, member of the commission, "and the clubs are willing to pay the express charges. It costs the state \$15,000 annually for express for this purpose. The railroads used to carry the fry free but the practice ended when the government took over the roads and has not been resumed. The state fish fry this year amounts to 10,000,000 trout, 150,000,000 lake and 700,000 black bass.

NO EXCUSE FOR BLIND BEGGARS SAYS GOETZINGER

La Crosse Musician Tells of Wonderful Opportunities of Afflicted

In an interview with Mr. Walter Goetzinger, blind organist of the Lyceum theater, and well known citizen of La Crosse, some interesting facts were brought out which opened up new ideas and furnished much food for thought. The phases which he brought out relative to the blind and the saying are of such a nature that they should not only interest, but greatly benefit the general public.

The interview in part is given below:

"You ask me to give you some facts regarding blind people, and this I will gladly do, provided that they will be accepted as they are given—with absolutely no view toward arousing pity on the part of the general public for the blind, but with the hope that what I may say will be of benefit to all concerned."

Ask for Chance

"The blind do not want pity, but what the truly normal, educated blind do want and crave for is a chance. When you started out in life, you all looked for a chance, and expected it and got it. You got your chance because you were like the fellow who gave it to you. With the blind, however, it is different. The first thing people say regarding a blind applicant for a position is, 'But he can't see.' This attitude on the part of the public is due to nothing but ignorance of the subject in hand, and it is with the idea of throwing a bit of light in the right direction that I discuss this question at all."

"If I should ask you the question, 'What is blindness?' you would most likely, in order to be as brief as possible, say, 'Blindness is the inability to see.' You would, unless you are different from the great majority, mean by this reply the inability to see with the physical eye. Should I then ask you, 'What is sight?' you would of course answer, that it was the ability to see with the physical eye. If I thought you would not be interested in the subject I would say nothing, but if I thought that you were willing to learn and develop yourself, I would tell you that you had wrongly answered both questions, because sight is merely spiritual perception. Perception is a quality perception, mental, and not at all physical. Whatever mental relates to the mind, and there we have the primal cause of it all."

"I do not wish it to be construed that I am endeavoring to plug for any particular religious creed, or for some new idea. I say what I say because it is true and because it bears on the subject in hand, which will be shown later."

Not Real Handicap

"If I ask you to locate for me verbally, a certain residence, isn't it likely that you will stop for a moment to form a mental picture of the house in that block, this calling memory into play before you are able to tell me? A Chinese communication would mean nothing to you unless you had been taught the Chinese language. Thus we see that the real function regarding sight is mind action, and that without the mind, sight is useless."

OPENING OF HANDSOME CLUB ROOMS IN MASONIC TEMPLE MARKS EPOCH IN THE LOCAL LODGE

RAPID GROWTH OF LODGE DEMANDS BIG IMPROVEMENT

Elaborate Plan Worked Out in Rearrangement of Interior for Benefit of Members

EARLY HISTORY IS RECALLED AS MEMBERS ENJOY THE ROOMS

Frontier Lodge Now Numbers Over Five Hundred

Opening of luxurious club rooms, occupying the entire ground floor of the Masonic temple, at Eighth and Main streets, marks a new epoch in the Masonic lodge in this city. Just completed and equipped at a cost of several thousand dollars, the club rooms in the temple represent the last word in artistic decorations, beautiful appointments and convenient facilities to enhance the comfort and enjoyment of the members of the order privileged to spend their spare hours in the club. Every possible convenience has been provided, and Masons are enthusiastic over their new quarters.

The movement to provide adequate club rooms for the growing membership of the order here started in 1913, when B. F. Keeler, then grand master of the grand lodge of Wisconsin, came home from trips about the state with glowing reports of what other lodges were doing to provide club facilities for members and thus help in the principles of perfect manhood.

The completed club rooms, just opened, represent the fruition of five years of work and planning in which officers and leading members of the order displayed commendable vision in arranging the interior of the building so as best to provide for the welfare and comfort of the lodge members during a period in which the membership is bound to grow rapidly.

Big Changes Made

The principal change on the main floor is the conversion of the big assembly room, in which dances formerly were held, into a lounge and card room. Forty-four feet wide and fifty-six feet long, with windows on three sides providing ideal daylight, equipped with solid mahogany and real leather furniture, beautiful rugs and hangings, and a diffused lighting system reflected on light cream colored walls, the big club room presents a feast for the eye, as one enters the main door at the northwest corner.

On the west side are the card tables, where members enjoy sociable games before and after lodge or in the late afternoon, when their day's work is done. No gambling is permitted in the Masonic club rooms. On the east side of the room are deep cushioned leather bound daynaps and easy chairs that invite comfort and repose. In the middle are two beautiful solid mahogany reading tables of ornate design.

Artistic Finish

The walls are tinted a light cream with the ceiling a slightly darker shade. Rich curtains and handsome pictures complete the furnishings.

The billiard room, equipped with four fine tables, is at the southwest corner of the main floor. At the northwest corner adjoining the main club room, is a reception room, masterfully furnished. Cloak and toilet rooms are provided, and in the corridor is a drinking fountain of the latest sanitary type, flowing a clear stream of

water in such manner that one's lips cannot touch the marble.

In the basement is the big dining room, with kitchen adjoining, the scene of many banquets during the Masonic year.

On the top floor is the lodge room, devoted exclusively to the work of the order.

Growth is Rapid

Frontier lodge No. 45 has witnessed its most remarkable growth since locating in the Masonic temple in 1902. There are now over 500 Masons who claim the Masonic temple at Eighth and Main as their lodge home, and the waiting list is so large that over a year will be required to give the candidates their entrance degrees.

The building committee which had charge of the construction of the Masonic temple 19 years ago consisted of W. S. Woods, O. J. Sorenson and J. E. Langdon.

W. S. Woods and J. E. Langdon had charge of the recent remodeling of the temple to provide the new club rooms.

Officers of the Masonic Hall association, consisting of trustees of the lodge, chapter and commandery, are William Torrance, president; B. F. Keeler, vice president and treasurer; W. S. Woods, secretary; J. S. Landon, J. E. Langdon, O. J. Sorenson and the aforementioned officers, directors.

Officers of Lodge

Officers of Frontier lodge No. 45, F. and A. M., are: Oscar L. Dean, W. M.; Fred M. Miller, S. W.; Thos. A. Walker, J. W.; Harvey T. Cole, S. D.; Louis C. Hirschheimer, J. D.; Ole Elbertson, treasurer; Chas. C. Looney, secretary; H. L. Carrie, S. S.; Arthur L. Myers, J. S.; R. E. Benjamin, Tyler; R. E. Keeler, John Gardner, J. C. Hirschheimer, trustees; John E. Langdon, chaplain.

Officers of South Chapter, No. 13, are: Arthur A. Dundy, H. P.; Horton Kline, King; A. E. Kniesbusch, Scribe; L. C. Hirschheimer, G. of H.; H. L. Taylor, P. S.; W. J. Torrance, R. A. C.; H. W. Skogstad, 1st Vale; C. W. Chase, 2nd Vale; H. L. Carrie, 3rd Vale; O. J. Sorenson, treasurer; Chas. C. Looney, secretary; R. E. Benjamin, Tyler.



Beautiful New Club Room in Masonic Temple

HONORED BY GRAND LODGE



J. E. LANGDON

Sentinel; J. E. Langdon, W. S. Woods and Jas. E. Novak, trustees.

History of Lodge

J. E. Langdon read the following interesting history of the lodge on the occasion of the formal opening of the club rooms:

"Under a dispensation granted October 8th, 1852, by the grand lodge of the State of Wisconsin, Frontier lodge No. 45, F. & A. M., held its first meeting October 23rd of the same year in the dwelling house of Brother Ebenezer Childs.

"The building was located on the south side of Pearl street, on ground now occupied by the American House. The first Worshipful Master was Brother Morrison McMillan, and Brother C. A. Stevens acted as Secretary. Only two or three meetings were held in the Childs residence, the lodge being moved from there to an old wooden building which was located on the south side of State street, on the present site of the Star Knitting Works, where it remained but a brief period.

est living. There is a place provided in Milwaukee where the blind can work at different trades and be paid for it. This institution is maintained by the state so that a person is provided with board and room until he is sufficiently skilled to commence earning. In this connection I would like to say that the blind mechanic who does a bad job is to be severely censured as the sighted man who makes the same mistake. Stop feeling sorry for the blind person, and give a 'bum' blind worker, of which there are the same amount in proportion to the sighted, the same treatment as the other receives and you will have done much to improve conditions.

No Excuse for Begging

When asked his opinion regarding blind beggars and street corner musicians Mr. Goetzinger replied: "There is absolutely no more excuse for a blind man to be begging than for a man who has the use of his eyes. Of course there are all sorts of men among the blind as well as among the sighted, if there weren't they wouldn't be human but most of the beggars among the blind are nothing but loafers who are too lazy to earn an honest living."

Earns Place in Life

"The blind and the instructors of the blind have proved beyond dispute that physical sight is not as essential as the general public thinks it. The big job now is to make you see that a seemingly blind person is in full possession of his faculties and that he is not at all dangerous, and that he is therefore entitled to a place in your consideration and life the same as your sighted neighbor. Treat a blind person as you would anyone else and he will appreciate it. Don't go at him as if he were about to fall apart at the next step, and he will appreciate that also."

"There are many people who avoid the blind—avoid associating with them and even avoid, if possible, coming in close proximity with them. It is this sort of person whom I have respectfully classed as the 'blind who see' because they are in mental darkness as to what physical blindness really means and amounts to. . . . I do not mean to infer that the society of a man should be sought merely because he is blind, but if that is your only reason for avoiding him you are doing yourself more harm than is being done to anyone else."



B. F. KEELER

"The charter was issued June 16th, 1852, and was signed by Henry L. Palmer, Grand Master, Gabriel Doack, Grand Senior Warden, R. Dolos Palford, Grand Junior Warden, and William E. Smith, Grand Secretary. The charter members were Brothers Morrison McMillan, Solomon Howe, Jacob Crosscut, D. Fisk, J. Damm, Ebenezer Childs, C. A. Stevens, William McConnel, John W. Howerson, D. M. West, Thomas Murphy and John M. Levy. All of these Brothers are now dead."

"In the early days great activity was manifested and the lodge prospered, gaining a membership of about fifty by the time the charter arrived."

"In 1853 the lodge was moved to the fourth floor or ball room of the old Fallmaier House, located on the southeast corner of State and Third streets, these quarters being occupied

until the spring of 1854. During the years 1854, 1855 and the early part of 1856, meetings were held in the upper story of the warehouse building owned by Brother John M. Levy, located on the west side of Front street, near the corner of Pearl. The next move was in 1856. Quarters were secured in the brick building owned by John M. Levy, located at 123 Pearl street, and the lodge remained there until 1871, when it was moved to the Mons Anderson building on Main street, where it held its meetings for the following ten years. From 1881 to 1891 the third floor of the McMillan building, located on the northeast corner of Third and Main street, and now occupied by the Wisconsin Business University, was used, and in 1891 the lodge was moved to the third story of the Barron building, corner of Fifth and Main streets, where it remained until 1902, when it moved to its present quarters, and in a home of its own."

Grand Lodge Officers

Frontier lodge has attained prominence in the grand lodge of Wisconsin during the past few years by reason of the elections of two of its members to office in this august body. B. F. Keeler has the distinction of being past grand master of the grand lodge of Wisconsin, having served in this position in 1917. Mr. Langdon is past grand high priest of the grand chapter, having served in this position in 1917. Mr. Langdon is a member of four grand lodges. Mr. Keeler in addition to being the only past grand master of the grand lodge in La Crosse, is also representative in the grand lodge of the Masons in the Philippine islands.

There are now approximately 800 Masons in the city of La Crosse, including those in the north side lodge. There are in this city 7 consistory of thirty-second degree Masons and about the same number belonging to the shrine.

It is the aim of the thirty-second degree Masons here eventually to establish a consistory in La Crosse. Local Masons belonging to this rank are now affiliated with the Milwaukee consistory.

senses, sight, will be placed on a social and mental par with the sighted.

Increase the Airplane's War Efficiency

A French inventor, Louis Dompierre, has announced an invention which increases the efficiency of the airplane in warfare. It enables the operator to bombard an object at a distance of seven miles instead of having to pass over it and drop the bombs as is now the case. It is a gun with some new features, but the scheme also calls into play the use of a wireless system between several co-ordinated airplanes, whereby it is possible to check up distances and gauge angles so that the operation is a purely mathematical proposition. The inventor has already achieved some prominence by reason of his development of the helicopter, an airplane with a horizontal propeller.

Lighting Likes Loamy Soil

Lightning strikes loamy soil most frequently, according to recent investigations. Then, in diminishing order, sandy soil, clay and chalk. In fact loamy soil is struck twenty-two times as often as chalk.

A Vacuum Cleaner

A little five-year-old, seeing her mother sweeping in the old-fashioned way, asked: "Mother, why don't you get one of those back-room cleaners like Mrs. Jones got?"—Boston Transcript.

HOW'S YOUR MEMORY FOR MUSIC? BEYERSTEDTS TO TEST IT FOR BIG PRIZES

EVERYBODY in La Crosse will remember the fun that was enjoyed last September when the Beyerstedts orchestra staged its first music memory test, in which the famous musical organization played at each performance a melange of old-time melodies and prizes were offered to the persons who could identify the largest number of them.

The same thing is to be done this week, with a bigger prize list, at the Rivoli theatre, where the Beyerstedts are now playing. Nobody but the Beyerstedts orchestra, perhaps, could put on a stunt of this sort without an incredible amount of research and digging through ancient musical libraries. But the Beyerstedts are a picked assemblage of musicians with memories, and with Bert Beyerstedt to lead them back along the paths of yesterday they can play at an instant's notice any music written within the mind of the last two generations. If it is a feat of memory



At the Majestic last half of the week.

LEIF EVANS IS ORDAINED TO THE MINISTRY HERE

Impressive Services Held in Our Savior's Lutheran Church Last Sunday

L. B. Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Evans, 309 Vine street, was ordained to the Lutheran ministry last Sunday, April 3, in Our Savior's Lutheran church, corner Sixth and Division streets.

Dr. O. E. Brandt of St. Paul conducted the ordination service, assisted by Rev. H. G. Muehlen of La Crosse, Prof. Carlo A. Sperati of De Cade, Iowa, Rev. Togness of Red Wing, Minn., and Rev. A. O. Johnson of Spring Grove.

Dr. Brandt spoke from the following text, II Cor., 5th chapter, 20th verse: "Now then we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God did beseech you by us; we pray you, in

Christ's stead be ye reconciled to God."

This morning's service was very impressive and long to be remembered by those present.

From 5 to 8 p. m. a reception was given in the church parlors by the Ladies' Aid society for all members and friends of the congregation, after which Dr. O. E. Brandt delivered a very stirring lecture on "Church Song."

Rev. Mr. Evans has been called to Menomonie, Wis., and will go there to take charge immediately.

WHAT IS HELIOTROPE?

One of the most fascinating studies is that of words and their origins.

Heliotrope, for instance, comes from two Greek words; helios, meaning "sun" and tropos, "to turn toward". Hence, in its original meaning, heliotrope referred to any plant that habitually turned toward the sun and included the sunflower and marigold. Now, however, heliotrope is confined exclusively to the pretty light purple flower with which we associate the name.

It is probably the only flower that has ever served as the namesake for

a big motion picture production. Like the flower, the photoplay "Heliotrope" has interesting origins. It comes from the famous story by Richard Washburn Child, the directing skill of George A. Baker, and the histrionic talent of a fine cast of players.

This three-ply combination has caused the screen "Heliotrope" to blossom into one of the most unusual photoplays ever seen. The story concerns a convict and his love for his daughter. How the convict sacrifices himself to keep his daughter's romance unsullied is revealed in this great picture.

The art of the motion picture has advanced with rapid strides. No other form of artistic expression has risen to greater heights than that of the silent drama.

Unanimous opinion of theatre owners, motion-picture critics and thousands of La Crosseans who will have seen the latest PARAMOUNT SUPER-SPECIAL attraction at the Rivoli theatre will acclaim it the most thrilling, most dramatic, most unique theme ever developed. The character, "Heliotrope Harry," is beyond the peradventure of a doubt the most astounding ever conceived by writer, novelist or playwright. A convict, his true, but the sacrifice

he makes for love of his daughter, who does not even know of his existence, proves that under the garb of shame beats a heart as noble as ever possessed by heroes of song and story.

See "Heliotrope." You will be riveted to your seat, and if your emotions are not stirred, truly you are in a class with the Sphinx.

CALLAHAN HAS 522 MAJORITY OVER CARY IN CITY AND COUNTY

Official returns in the county clerk's office show that John Callahan polled 5,083 votes to 4,561 for Charles P. Cary, or a majority of 522 in the contest for the office of state superintendent of public instruction. Mrs. Blanche J. Chamberlain, who had no opposition for re-election as county superintendent of schools, received 1,075 votes in the county, and John Vinje, only candidate for the state supreme court, received 5,680 votes in the city and county.

Swiss Make Absinthe - Absinthe, while most used in France, is made principally in Switzerland.

RUMMAGE SALE IS BIG EVENT OF COMING WEEK

To be Staged in Rivoli Theater Building for Benefit of Children's Clinic

The La Crosse County Community Council will conduct a rummage sale in the Rivoli theater building next Thursday and Friday to raise funds to conduct the children's clinic during the coming year.

All citizens having articles which they would donate to this worthy cause are asked to call Mrs. R. M. L. Kinnear or Mrs. E. C. Thompson.

A report of the work of the children's clinic is presented herewith: March 20 to February 21—Children cured for 365; an increase of 96 children over last year.

Expenses—Inocent cards and clinic supplies, \$23; hospital expenses, \$471.25; families paid for children, \$83; donations, \$16.50.

Services of doctors and nurses donated.

"THE MIKADO"

That it sometimes pays well to be known, was recently appreciated by Ralph Dunbar, the producer of the revival of the opera "The Mikado," which comes to the La Crosse theatre Sunday and Monday, April 24 and 25, with a special bargain matinee Sunday afternoon, and of "Robin Hood" and "Carmen."

Dunbar has just married Lorna Doane Jackson, who is singing the name part in "Carmen" this season and, with his bride, drove to one of the loop furniture stores in Chicago to pick out a dining room set. Being on his honeymoon and in love with his bride he forgot all about the parking rules of the police and left his car over the allotted time on State street.

When he came out of the store a



Scene from "The Last of the Mohicans," at Rivoli, this week.

trim mounted officer served him with summons.

Next day the theatrical magnate journeyed to central station police court and stepped up to the bar when his name was called.

"Ralph Dunbar," mused grey-haired Judge Foreman. "That name brings back recollections of five young men who, years ago, made some mighty fine music with bells. They called themselves the Duubar bell ringers."

"Well, well," said the court. "Any man who can get such melody out of common dinner bells as you did when I heard you cannot be much of a law breaker. Guess I'll discharge you with a warning."

And now that old judge, armed with an annual pass, is a pleased auditor at all of the Dunbar operatic productions in Chicago.

HARMONY SINGERS FEATURE VARIETY OFFERING SUNDAY

Music, Laughs and Speed Go to Make up Energetic Vaudeville Bill at La Crosse

A comedy skit billed as "school frolics" will be one of five classy acts which feature the La Crosse theatre's Sunday offering of vaudeville. The skit is presented by the Stratford Comedy Four, harmony singers. Other acts on the bill will include several unique and novel entertainment features.

One of these novelties will be "Zetta," a woman singer who accompanies herself on one of the tuneful and difficult piano accordions. Playing one of these instruments is sufficient of a chore for most performers, but to play and sing the way "Zetta" does it is a real stunt. There is also plenty of laughs on the bill, a good many of them being supplied by Vera Clayton, a handsome young lady who sings, talks and dances and calls herself "The Novelty Girl." An act full of rapid cross fire, new jokes and a bit of melody will be that of Rawles and Gilman, a man and woman known to the varieties as "expert kidders."

The final act on the bill is that of the Five Eugene Boys, who are billed as "A Flash of Speed." Whirlwind tumbling and acrobatics is their specialty, and the act is a bewilderment of flying bodies, arms and legs when all five are working together. It is said to be one of the fastest acts of its kind in vaudeville.

Nice All Around

"Women insist that they have jury rights."

"Who's opposing 'em? Men juror would welcome a few pretty girls on the panel and I'm sure court clerks would appreciate the innovation."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

BESSIE BARRISCALE

"Kitty Kelly, M. D."

The town of Fracas, Ariz., met the train to give the new she-doctor the "razz," but when she stepped off the platform—young, pretty and blonde—there developed an epidemic of masculine ailments heretofore unheard of.

VAUDEVILLE

BOBBY JONES
Singing Comedian

AL BARNES AND CO.
Comedy Conjurors

CONTINUOUS SHOW TODAY

COMING MONDAY

MARY MILES MINTER IN "ALL SOUL'S EVE"

MAJESTIC VAUDEVILLE

Limousine Shows At Wheelbarrow Prices

Today Three Shows: 2:30, 7:30, 9:00.

NOTE: Next Sunday will be the last Vaudeville Show of the Season.

Stratford Comedy Four

in the Merry Skit

"SCHOOL FROLICS"

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This service and "HELIOTROPE" are all PARAMOUNT.

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Attend Our Great Heliotrope Sale

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and Scent the Bargains Prepared for You.

Heliotrope Specials in Hosiery and Underwear



Some brief Hosiery suggestions in new seasonable styles, at little prices that will appeal by reason of the quality excellence they will buy.

Holeproof Hose, pair \$1. \$1.25, \$2 up to \$3.
Phoenix Silk Hose, Heliotrope special, per pair **\$1.00**
One Lot of Women's black and brown fibre Silk Hose, pair..... **49c**
Women's Silk Hose in plain black and boot lace, values up to \$1.50, Heliotrope special, per pair **79c**
Women's Silk Hose in brown, grey, Russian calf and tan, \$2.00 value, at per pair **\$1.25**
Boys' and Girls' heavy school Hose, excellent wearing quality, 39c value, at per pair **25c**
Women's Lisle Union Suits, 65c value, Heliotrope special at **49c**
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Heliotrope Sale of Women's Suits

A RARE SUIT OPPORTUNITY AT

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Every good style that the most cunning designers have produced is here. Every good and popular weave is here. Box back, ripple flare and tailored, beaded and embroidered. Priced special for Heliotrope week, \$29, \$39 and \$45.

\$35 and \$38 Suit values, at **\$29**
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Heliotrope Specials in Charming Silk Blouses

With soft laces or smart frills. Always there's a new Blouse fashion here to give a freshening note to one's suit costumes for spring. Among the newest arrivals are these particularly lovely Blouses of Canton Crepe, Crepe de Chine and hand embroidered Georgette Crepe. Priced..... **\$8.00 up to \$25.00**

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Women's pretty Percale and Gingham Dresses, values up to \$2.50, now **\$1.48**

Women's Gingham Dresses, values up to \$3.50, now **\$1.98**

Women's Silk Teddy Bears, values up to \$5.00, Heliotrope special at **\$2.98**

Heliotrope Specials in Corsets and Brassieres

Comfortable, pretty shapes, reliable in every way. It's a lucky thing for the women who wear our corsets that this special offering comes their way of \$3.50 Corsets at **\$1.98**

Excellent quality Coutil Cloth and Satin stripe Mercerized Cloth, special **\$1.98**

Flesh colored Corsets, \$1.50 value at **\$1.00**

\$2.00 Corsets, Heliotrope sale at **\$1.39**

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Our Great C-B La Spirite Corsets.

In both flesh and white, in a great variety of styles and materials. Priced at— **\$2.00, \$3.50 up to \$6.50**

For the slender and the stout figures. One lot of Brassieres and Bandeaux, 75c value, special for **49c**

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42-inch "Wearwell" Pillow Tubing, Heliotrope special at per yard **45c**
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Big savings on Pattern Hats, values to \$12.00, at—

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Children's Trimmed Hats, specially priced at— **\$1.50, \$2.00**

Corset Specials

All sizes, all new spring models.

Values to \$1.50, at **\$1.00**
Values to \$2.00, at **\$1.50**

Kid Gloves

Ladies' Cape Kid Gloves, brown and grey, all sizes, at per pair—

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Hosiery Special

Ladies' first quality "Best Knit" Hosiery, silk lisle, values to \$1.00 a pair, priced at pair **50c**

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A story as soul-grIPPING as
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You will save money and at the same time secure the utmost in quality, comfort and style.

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Ladies' brown kid oxford with military heel, very snappy, at **\$7.50**

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Society

WONDERFUL PARTY ENJOYED BY FIVE HUNDRED "HI" GIRLS

THE BIGGEST thing of the sort ever undertaken in La Crosse and an unqualified success was the party given Friday night by and for all the girls of the high school. Worked out under the inspiration and direction of their dean, Miss Melden, with the enthusiastic co-operation of all the teachers, more than five hundred girls had a "big time" from 4 o'clock until 9 o'clock.

The party opened with dancing in the gymnasium followed by an "indoor track meet." The events were unusual in character. The first, the "blocks put" for faculty, was won by Miss Macchia, the "220 yard dash" by Alice Sheridan. Miss Melden won the first place in the "standing high jump." Gladys Lewis won the "rainy day" race and in the three-legged race, the most exciting and loudly cheered of all the events, Katherine Nelson and Helen Scholberg won first place. Valuable prizes ranging from a string of writers to a jumping jack were awarded.

To the inspiring music of a "rhubarb" band the girls marched to the lunch room for supper. Songs and yells punctuated this gay, picnic meal. At its conclusion the crowd moved to the auditorium for singing and a variety program, staged by teachers and high school girls. Clever acts, pretty, humorous and grotesque followed each other to the huge delight of an unflinching appreciative audience. A Lady Gregory play with Irish dialect excellently done, a burlesque on "Uncle Tom's Cabin," and another on "What Happened to Jones," an amusing melodrama done in pantomime, the jazz band, the fearful "Bandersnatch," three dancing acts, each pretty and different from the others, and a violin solo composed the program.

"Throughout the evening the crowd sang songs prepared for the occasion, the most popular being a parody of 'Ain't We Got Fun,' which burst from the crowd at frequent intervals and adequately expressed their feelings. The evening ended with a good night song and final cheers by the girls. 'The best party we've had since we've been in high school,' said everyone.

MISS LUCIUS C. Colman, 124 South Fifth street, was hostess at luncheon on Saturday, when she entertained twelve guests.

THE MEMBERS of the Morning Star Chapter, No. 23 Order of Eastern Star, of La Crosse entertained at a delightful banquet Friday night, which was attended by a number of guests. Representatives from Dakota, Wisconsin, Iowa, Illinois and Missouri were also present. The affair was a success. The affair was a success. The affair was a success.

AN AFTERNOON coffee will be given at the Y. W. C. A. on the afternoon of Saturday, April 10th. The members of the Y. W. C. A. are invited to attend. The affair is a success.

THE MEETING of the Y. W. C. A. Fellowship committee of the Y. W. C. A. scheduled for Monday, April 11th, will be postponed until further call. It was announced Saturday.

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City Briefs

Yeomen dance. Gabel's. Sun. Dance Tues. Long's Jazz Boys. Any amount from \$500 to \$5000 to loan on improved La Crosse real estate. J. L. Pettengill, Batavian Bank Building.

General auto repairing. Work guaranteed. Coady. 1014 Pine. 2042-C.

The U. C. T. will hold a memorial service at the Presbyterian church today at 2:30. All members meet at Odd Fellows' hall at 2:00 o'clock.

L. J. Peterson, has returned to Minneapolis after a visit here.

"Sunrise Flour"—Yesterday, today and tomorrow.

Razor Blades ground at Hebbard's. For Electric wiring, fixtures and appliances. Call 2240-A. J. F. Pappenfuss Electrical contractor.

Dance, music at the Old Style Inn Saturday and Sunday nights.

Eastman Kodaks at Hebbard's. Old friends of Art Kelly of Virginia, Minn., are welcoming him on the north side these days. Mr. Kelly is visiting his brother, P. T. Kelly.

Lotus Cafe and Annex Steaks, chops, chop suey, Tel. chop suey orders. Steaks out to order. Try our noon day lunch.

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Dance Music at the Old Style Inn Sunday night.

H. S. Thill Co. Plumbing and Heating. 415 So. 10th. Phone 1774-C.

Mrs. Frank Wolf, of Elstirk, Wis., has returned after a visit with Mrs. W. E. Collins, 1843 Charles street.

Y. W. C. A. Spring Fete April 12 and 13. Prices 50c to \$1.00.

Special Tri-State brick ice cream today. Money cheerfully refunded if you are not satisfied. Levy's. 605 Main St.

Bicycle Bargains, Weis Book store. General Auto repairing. H. J. Andrews. 315 Perry. Phone 2393-B.

Columbia Records. Victor Records. James Larkin, 1512 Liberty street, has recovered from his illness.

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Armory Hall, Dance, every Sat. and Sun. Clark's Ragadours.

Costley, court house, draws will. Martin Fitzpatrick, has returned to his home, 1606 Liberty street, after a visit in Minneapolis.

Always bright "Sunrise Flour."

Telephone Bills must be paid by the 25th of the current month to obtain the 25 cent discount.

Klawitter Bros.—We haul baggage, freight, pianos and household goods. Any part of city. Phone 488-C.

Mr. William Nickas is visiting relative in Chicago.

Hutchinson has gone into the drug, contracting business and respectfully solicits your patronage. 224 W. North. Phone 2178-A.

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Osteopathy—Dr. Jorris, Newburg Bz.

William C. Strech Saturday received word of the birth of an eight-pound girl to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Alrick of Miles City, Mont. Mrs. Alrick is in Chicago.

rick was Laura Strech before her marriage.

Be Photographed this year on your birthday. Mott Studio.

Mrs. W. A. Marr, 710 South Fourth street, has returned from a visit in Blackstone, Iowa.

Rohr Bros. Painters, paperhangers, decorators. Phone 521-C or 1153-M.

Miss Dorothy Dubraks, 1623 Avon street, is convalescing from scarlet fever.

Miss A. Lennon, 410 Main street, has returned from a trip to Chicago.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoffmann, 823 Avon street. Mrs. Hoffmann was formerly Elizabeth Roden.

Mrs. M. Hoffman and Mr. Ed. O'Connor have returned to their homes in Madison after spending a few days with Mrs. Blanche Houser at 923 1/2 Vine street.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETS MONDAY NIGHT

A meeting of the special committee appointed by the mayor to represent the city at the hearing of the interstate commerce commission here with regard to the abandonment of the Green Bay and Western railroad from La Crosse has been called at the city hall for 8 o'clock Monday night.

Post Crop Tenderfoot—Say, First Class Scout, how is your garden coming?

First Class Scout—Well, my peach trees are all dead, but one of my fence posts is budding!—Boys' Life.

HERRICK



Fruits and vegetables keep their original freshness for days and days in the Herrick Refrigerator.

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The dry cold air in constant, self-purifying circulation is the reason.

This one food-saving feature of the prize-winning Herrick is alone worth much. Yet it is only one of the many valuable qualities of this conscientiously constructed refrigerator that has been giving economical service for more than a quarter of a century.

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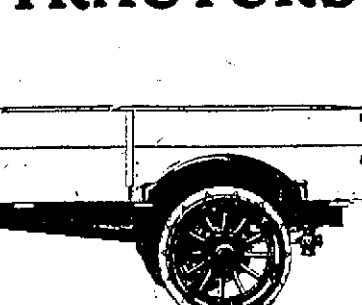
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DRUID CLUB HOLDS "OPEN HOUSE" AT ROOMS FRIDAY EVE

The Druids, a club composed of a number of the young men of the city, held open house at their rooms Friday evening. Dancing, games and refreshments was the order of the evening. The guests of the club were: Misses Rahr, O'Rourke, Palmer, Jarvis, Raden, Jansen, Weedy, Lapley, Heiman, Kahlip and Sandahl, and Messrs. Peterson, Root, Dwyer, Newburg, Probert, Polak.

Another Satisfied Customer, and How it Happened

Mrs. Jones had been doing the weekly washing for Mrs. Smith for many months. Last Monday morning one of Mrs. Jones' children was ill which made it impossible for her to appear on the scene of action.

Mrs. Smith had other duties which made it impossible for her to bother with the washing.

But clean clothes they must have. What was she to do?

An Ideal Wet Wash Laundry truck happened to stop next door. She hailed the driver.

The washing was ready for Mrs. Jones. The driver put it in a bag and away he went.

Monday afternoon back he came. Naturally Mrs. Smith was surprised. She had the idea laundries were slow.

The driver gave her the price. One little round dollar. That surprised her. But when she looked at her beautifully washed clothes she was more surprised.

Mrs. Jones had been charging her 35c per hour. Mrs. Smith had to go to the bother of getting Mrs. Jones a lunch and at noon a dinner. Then there was the soap, washing powders, bluing, etc., etc., to purchase.

Mrs. Smith did some thinking. She had been losing money week after week and besides had the mess around the house.

Tomorrow Mrs. Jones will not call at Mrs. Smith's. She has arranged with us to call regularly on Monday mornings.

There are many women who have been disappointed on washday. But there are many who have cast aside, "this one big worry." They have joined the throng of our

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GABEL'S ORCHESTRA ENGAGED FOR TWO EVENINGS IN CITY

The celebrated Gabel orchestra under the personal direction A. J. Gabel, has returned to the city, appearing at the Yeomen hall on Saturday and Sunday evening. The entire company is again together following the short vacation of a few of the members during lent.

Up Forward, Please!

"How does the Rev. Mr. Folger always have the front seats of his great church so well filled?"

"His head usher is a street car conductor."—American Legion Weekly.

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Bring your own containers. Our milk is clean and fresh every morning.

It is rich and pure when poured from the cans.

Use twice as much milk as you are using and reduce cost of living.

One quart of milk—8 eggs in food value. Give your children plenty of milk. It is the cheapest food you buy.

We Solicit a Trial of Our Milk.

A PRODUCER

CITY RALLIES TO SUPPORT BASEBALL ORGANIZATION THIS YEAR

NEW LA CROSSE BASEBALL TEAM A SURE THING

Doubt is Removed as Committee Reports Favorable Canvass Among the Business Establishments of the City

All doubt as to whether the city of La Crosse will host a baseball team this coming season has apparently been laid following the announcement of workers in the field for a short time on Saturday that a considerable amount of money for the purpose of purchasing equipment and paraphernalia has been solicited.

Canvassers who worked on the project Saturday afternoon report an exceedingly friendly attitude on the part of business men toward the new "La Crosse" baseball team, manifesting their interest that they are for it by endorsing the efforts of the organization without the slightest whimper. The city of La Crosse has gained a reputation of producing competent athletic material in the various sports and the matter of furnishing the local club with this sort of timber should prove no exception.

That the city possesses a grist of baseball material is certain and it is but a question at the present time when the final organization will be made. Judging from the interest and support of the fans in the city the proposition of organizing an outfit that will be able to rub shoulders with any of the abounding teams is assured. Many of the La Crosse players, who have temporarily signed to play with surrounding teams, have agreed to join the ranks of the local club at the time of its organization. These outside positions were accepted previous to the agitation and plans for the organization of team here.

Business Men For It
A canvass among the business establishments of the city carried on by Lester Krause and Clarence Elstad revealed without exception that the concerns are strongly in favor of the proposition. They unanimously contributed to the fund necessary to equip and purchase uniforms for the team. It has been estimated that in the neighborhood of \$400 will be necessary to equip the club with the required material. From the support received in the short time on Saturday, it is expected that the amount can easily be subscribed.

Subscribers
The following is a list of those who have subscribed to the fund:
Paul Klessebach, Arthur Lee, Gibson Ice Cream Company, Oscar Schneider, John Clear Store, Harry P. A. Press, Fred W. Krause, E. L. Barren, A. A. Reiman, A. E. Anderson, Gus Haggard, E. L. Scherling, Nels Thomsen, Wm. Krissner, Erickson Bakery, Von Wald-Dodson, Stratum and Fraser, C. L. Shisler, Joseph Miller Company, A. S. Zorn, Fred Krenner Hardware Company, J. J. Sanford, H. J. Looney, P. W. Hoesly, Stelmets and Far, Fred W. Hiltman Hardware Company, Frank Anderson of Newburg, Spurgeon Mercantile Company, Adam Krenner Hardware Company, H. S. Shively, J. H. Hoff, A. C. Rimp, H. C. Hart Implement Company, W. P. Adams, Gantner Brothers, J. A. Rudatz, Stannard and Gauthier.

LA CROSSE OUTDOOR SPORTS ASSOCIATION TO ORGANIZE TWO CITY BASEBALL LEAGUES

Sixteen Years of Age Marks Dividing Line of Senior and Junior Clubs; MacWillie Donates Sticks as Incentive to Organization of Two "La Crosse" Teams

Steps were taken at a recent meeting of the officers and directors of the La Crosse Outdoor Sports Association to organize strictly amateur baseball leagues in the city for the coming season. Tentative plans were made for the organization of two leagues to be known as Senior and Junior. Eligibility rules as laid down at the directors' meeting state that in order to become a member of the Junior league a player must be under the age of sixteen years, while a member of the Senior league must be sixteen years of age or over. It should be understood that the eligibility rules governing each player at the beginning of the season will continue to apply throughout the year. This rule applies only to those who may become sixteen years of age while the league is in progress.

Mills Named Baseball Head
Art Mills, of the Y. M. C. A., was elected head of the baseball committee. While no definite committee was selected to act in conjunction with the chairman, a number of names were submitted from which a committee will be chosen within a short time.

The La Crosse Rifle club was incorporated as a part of the Outdoor Sports Association through the adoption of a resolution at the recent meeting.

While no definite plans or arrangements have as yet been developed by the association in connection with the proposed Fourth of July outdoor athletic fete here, a number of items of interest with regard to the affair were presented. Among these was the encouragement on the part of the association for the reorganization of the gun clubs in the city for the purpose of staging a trapshooting tournament in connection with the proposed fete on the Fourth of July. It is hoped that this sport can be revived in La Crosse in that it will afford recreational activity for many who resort to this form of sport.

MacWillie Makes Donation
Another matter of interest brought up at the meeting of the officers and directors of the association was the revival of the game "La Crosse." As an incentive for those who are interested in the sports to go ahead with the organization of two teams in La Crosse, D. W. MacWillie, who was present at the meeting, voluntarily agreed to equip two teams with the sticks and necessary paraphernalia. It is hoped here that this liberal donation will serve to stimulate the organization of two "La Crosse" teams.

Constitution
The constitution as drawn up by President W. J. Wittich of the association, and passed on by the officers and directors, is as follows:

Article I
The object of this association shall be to encourage all forms of outdoor sports for both winter and summer and to cultivate a keener interest in all these activities in both sexes for both young and old. This organization wishes to encourage only strictly amateur competition.

Article II
Qualification of members: All individuals both young and old interested in physical exercise and outdoor activities may become active members of this association upon payment of the annual membership fee of fifty cents (\$50).

Article III
Officers and their duties:
The officers of this association shall be a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer.
The officers together with three other members appointed by the president shall constitute the board of directors of the association.
All officers shall be elected

association shall be as follows:
1. Reading of the minutes.
2. Report of the treasurer.
3. Report of special committees.
4. Unfinished business.
5. New business.
6. Election of officers.
7. Adjournment.

Article IV
The rules contained in "Roberts' Rules of Order" shall govern the society in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the by-laws or the special rules of this association.

Article V
Any organization encouraging all outdoor sports may become a part of the La Crosse Outdoor Sports Association upon fulfillment of qualifications of membership as specified in Article II, section I of the constitution, subject to the approval of the board of directors.

Article VI
Every participant in any event held under the auspices of the association must become a member of the La Crosse Outdoor Sports Association.

WINONA Y-DUBS TO PLAY RETURN GAMES HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

Two Winona Y. W. C. A. basketball teams, the representative quintet and the girl reserves, will journey to this city from Winona next Friday night to battle in the return games with the local association. The La Crosse teams, playing in the up-river city several weeks ago, were defeated in both contests. The games will be played in the local Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Friday night at 8 o'clock.

MERRYMAN ANNEXES NORTH AND SOUTH AMATEUR TITLE

PINEHURST, N. C.—R. P. Merryman of the country club of Waterbury won the North and South Amateur Golf championship here Saturday, defeating Gardiner White of New York, 9 up and eight to play in the 36-hole final round. Merryman takes the title which was held for a year by Francis Olmsted of Boston, who did not defend it.

BASEBALL

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia Nationals, 8; Philadelphia Americans, 3.
At Brooklyn—New York Americans, 1; Brooklyn Nationals, 0.
At St. Louis—St. Louis Americans, 1; St. Louis Nationals, 4.
At New York—New York Nationals, 2; Washington Americans, 8.
At Baltimore—Boston Americans, 2; Baltimore, 4.
At Cincinnati—Cleveland Americans, 2; Cincinnati Nationals, 1.
At Kansas City—Chicago Nationals, 15; Kansas City, American Association, 2.
At Memphis—Pittsburgh Nationals, 1; Memphis, Southern Association, 1.
At Louisville—Southern Americans, 1; Louisville, American Association, 5.

NATIONAL GAME TO BE ESTABLISHED AT LA CROSSE NORMAL

Promising Material Seen in Crew Reporting to Athletic Director for Practice

CONTEMPLATE TRIP TO ST. PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS

Track Squad at Normal in Waiting for Warmer Weather

Baseball is to be an established thing at the Normal school this season, according to a decision made last week by President Cotton of the local school. The work of organizing and coaching the team, for the time being at least, is to be in charge of Mr. Robert Nohr, director of athletics.

Games will be scheduled with as many teams in this vicinity as possible. River Falls Normal and Eau Claire are to have teams this season, as well as some of the other schools not yet heard from. Mr. Nohr is trying to arrange for a trip to the Twin Cities, playing such teams as Hamline, St. Thomas and St. Olaf's. He has already received several offers for games from teams in the southern section of the state.

Though they have had but one or two workouts, the prospects look especially bright for a strong team. There are plenty of candidates out, and the competition for infield positions promises to be hot. All of the men have had some experience on the diamond and are expected to make a good showing. Nohr has a couple of unusually promising men lined up for his pitching staff, and the catching position is well taken care of. The practices so far have been light, the coach wishing to avoid the usual crop of sore arms and stiff muscles if possible.

The track squad under the direction of "Tubby" Kessler has been taking it easy for the past week. The men have been reporting daily for a couple of laps, but no strenuous work will be attempted until the weather gets warmer.

GOULD DEFENDS TENNIS TITLE

BOSTON, Mass.—Jay Gould of New York again made a successful defense of his national amateur court tennis championship, defeating Sydney Cutting, New York, in the championship round on the courts of the tennis and racquet club, 6-5, 6-1, 6-0.

JERSEY CITY MOST PROBABLE SITE FOR HEAVYWEIGHT BOUT

Tex Rickard Refuses to Give Information as to His Choice of Place for the Arena

NEW YORK.—With the long awaited official announcement Saturday that the Dempsey-Carpenter heavyweight championship bout would be fought in the state of New Jersey on the afternoon of July 2, interest among local ring followers turned to the probable place of the contest and the training plans of the principals. Efforts to obtain a definite statement from promoter Tex Rickard as to the site of the contest were without success. He refused to commit himself as to Newark, Atlantic City or Jersey City, the three sites mentioned in his announcement. He said he had received favorable offers from all three cities, and would personally inspect the locations suggested before he would be in a position to make a final decision. It is expected he will devote the coming week at an examination of the places offered and announce his selection within the next ten days.

Bout at Jersey City

While there has been nothing official upon which to base the report, it appears to be the general opinion among those who have followed the match negotiations that Jersey City will be the ultimate choice, all conditions and advantages being equal.

Many Want Seats

Applications for seats have been accumulating for weeks without regard to the possible site for the ring, which Rickard attributes to the extraordinary interest aroused in the first really international heavyweight bout in several decades.

Another unusual angle lies in the fact that the two boxers are matched on a percentage basis, instead of the flat sums which it has been Rickard's custom to pay in the past. With Dempsey and Carpenter drawing sixty per cent of the gate receipts, it is considered likely that their share will be larger than the \$127,500 paid to Willard and Dempsey, or the \$101,000 awarded to Johnson and Jeffries when they boxed under Rickard's arrangement in Reno in 1910.

WON'T PLAY "BLACK SOX"

JANESVILLE, Wis.—The Tracerville City Athletic club baseball team officials of the Central Industrial association let it be known Friday that its team would not participate in any contests with the "Black Sox," a club including several former indicted majors and racketeers.

MELDE AND SAMPSON EXPECTED TO STAGE WHIRLWIND GO HERE

Long Looked for Bout Between Local Grapplers to be Staged at Union Hall on April 18

BOTH ARE IN ACTIVE TRAINING FOR BOUT

Large Turnout Expected to Witness Coming Battle

When George Melde and Ed Sampson, two local grapplers, meet in the ring at Union hall on the evening of Monday, April 18, sportsters would rather see this form of sport than any other will be given a treat and will witness a bout which has been talked about in the city for some time.

The two wrestlers met last fall in a thirty-minute no-decision bout and at that time were declared to be some of the fastest material seen here for a long time. Tapes from the training camps of the rival grapplers indicate that both men are taking their forthcoming battle with real seriousness.

George Melde, north side grappler, has a record of only one defeat among his long list of victories, that being to Matsuda, the Jap wonder. This defeat was scored during the first two years of the local man's professional career. The fact that Melde was handicapped in weight was also a contributing factor towards his defeat. Melde's hardest battle occurred in 1917 in his struggle with Jimmie Adams at Richland Center. Adams lost the first fall in one hour and twenty minutes, while the La Crosse grappler came back for the two succeeding falls.

Sampson's career during the past months has also been a successful one, he having "taken many into camp" on his tour of the Dakotas and Minnesota a short time ago. Sampson, though smaller than the north side man, will go far to make up the deficit in weight by his quickness and clever tactics. The bout promises to be a snappy exhibition of the art from the initial going to the finish and it is expected that hundreds of fans will be on deck for the performance.

Following the meeting of the two men last fall, considerable agitation for a bout between the grapplers has been in evidence. Arrangements and details of the bout are being taken care of, including ample seating capacity. The bout will start at 8 o'clock sharp Monday evening, April 18.

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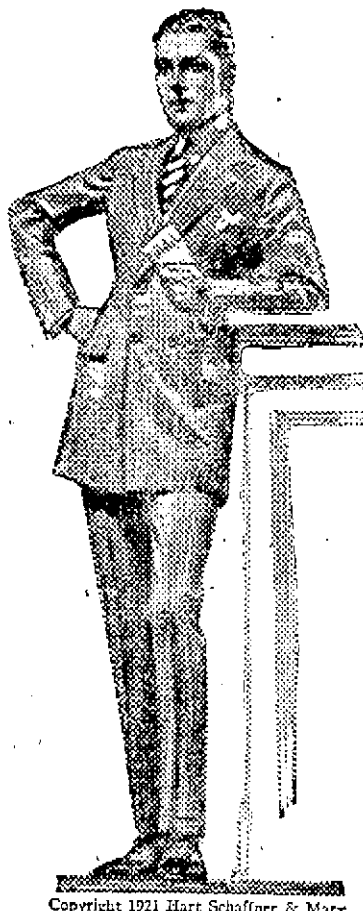
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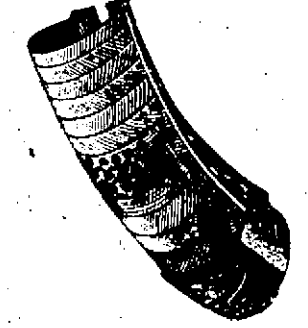
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JUDGE HICBEE HOLDS

NATURALIZATION DAY IN VIRQUA MONDAY
Judge Hicbee will hold naturalization in Virqua Monday. Saturday was naturalization day in Sparta when a number of applications were granted. F. W. Mauney, federal examiner, held a class Saturday night in the vocational school, Sixth and Vipe streets, for prospective citizens.

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MRS. A. E. SMITH IS HOSTESS TO PARTY AT AUCTION BRIDGE

Mrs. Nye Enjoyably Entertains Group of Ladies at Coffee and Church Supper

VIROQUA, Wis.—(Special)—Mrs. A. E. Smith delightedly entertained a party of twenty-four ladies at "auction bridge" on Wednesday afternoon. The favors were awarded to Mrs. L. C. Boyle and Mrs. W. P. Lindemann. Mrs. Chester Minshall of Westby was an out of town guest. On Thursday afternoon Mrs. E. M. Nye entertained a party of ladies at her home. The afternoon was pleasantly spent with needlework. At four o'clock the guests were entertained at luncheon at the Congregational church, where Mrs. George Minshall's aid division served. Monday evening Mrs. E. M. Nye will entertain the La-Croix Bridge club at her home.

The degree staff of the Viroqua Rebekkah lodge was entertained by the Caston lodge on Thursday evening in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. C. F. Dahl.

The Young People's society of the United Lutheran church was entertained on Thursday evening at the church parlors by Mesdames Joseph Dietz, Selmer Moseng, Sever Layold, George Polhard, Anton Hendon and Carl Hendon.

The Missionary society of the Christian church will meet on Friday afternoon in the church.

The Congregational Aid society was entertained on Thursday afternoon

by Mesdames George Minshall, Porter, Rhodes, Dahl, Barclay, Pannell and Shipes.

The W. C. T. U. was entertained on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Grant de Witt.

The Relief Aid society was entertained on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ole Christensen.

Sunday night will close the three weeks' revival meetings which have been held in the Methodist and Christian churches of this city. At the Methodist church on Sunday Mr. Cotterell will speak on the subject: "Just Jesus" and on Sunday evening "Eight Pains Points." On Sunday morning at the Christian church, Mr. Cary, evangelist, will speak on "Our Steadfastness." The topic for the evening will be "Excesses."

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davidson and Mrs. J. W. Langley of La Farge were Viroqua callers Monday.

Miss Elsie Jikken of La Crosse has accepted a position as stenographer at the insurance office of Smith and Slack.

E. L. Harrington and J. W. Lucas are attending a jeweler's convention at Milwaukee.

Miss Marie Samwick left this city on Thursday for San Antonio, Texas, where she will spend the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. McLees arrived home Friday from Muskogee, Okla.

home, where they spent the winter with their son, Charles McLees.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Royer have returned from an extended visit with relatives in Oklahoma.

Mrs. C. M. Clark spent a portion of the past week with relatives at La Farge.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKittrick are home from a winter's visit with their daughter, Mary, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. William Stricker has gone to Aberdeen, South Dakota, for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Florence Brearton.

Lawrence Conklin returned home Tuesday evening from a few days' visit with his sister, Mrs. Susan Chatfield, of La Crosse.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hook and son, Fred, and Mrs. A. C. Hook spent Sunday with relatives at La Farge.

Mrs. George Griffin, Mrs. R. E. Wolfgram and son, Alston, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Lawrence of La Crosse.

Mrs. S. J. Sauer and son, William, returned Sunday from a ten days' visit with the former's parents at Austin, Minnesota.

Mrs. Chester Minshall of Westby was a guest at the A. E. Smith home Wednesday.

Mrs. Earl Atkins has returned home from a visit with relatives at Portage.

Miss Mattie Jackson spent a por-

tion of the past week with her sister, Miss Verna Jackson, at La Crosse.

Mrs. Fred Kellogg spent a few days of last week with her sister, Mrs. James Potts, and niece, Mrs. Earl Saulon, of La Crosse.

Miss Ruth Williams is spending a few days with friends at Madison, Wis.

Taking advantage of the good roads and the unusual fine weather conditions of Saturday, a large number of Viroqua people visited in La Crosse. Among those were Messrs. and Mes-

srs. Clark, Frank Waldron, C. W. Graves, J. L. Skrede, L. M. Thompson and C. W. Thompson.

Electricity and Population

If the star of empire is ever to speed its way to the regions of the setting sun, electricity must be its harbinger. Right now it stands glittering above the town of Spencer, Ind., having moved less than ten miles during the last decade. But for the growth of the population in California (due in large measure to the application and utilization of electricity) the center of population in the

United States would have begun retracing its steps.

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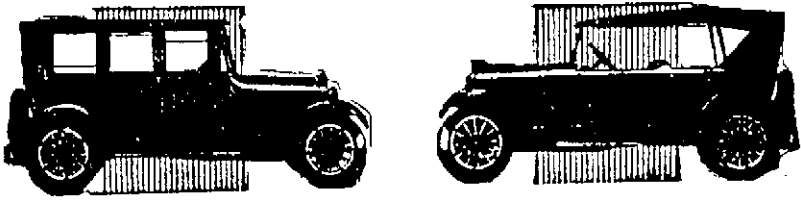
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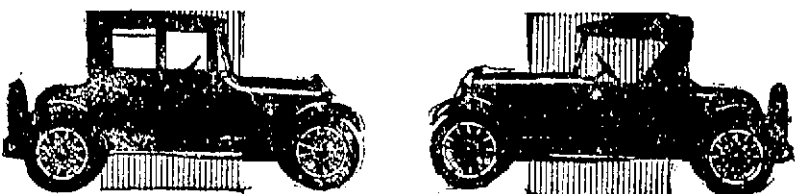
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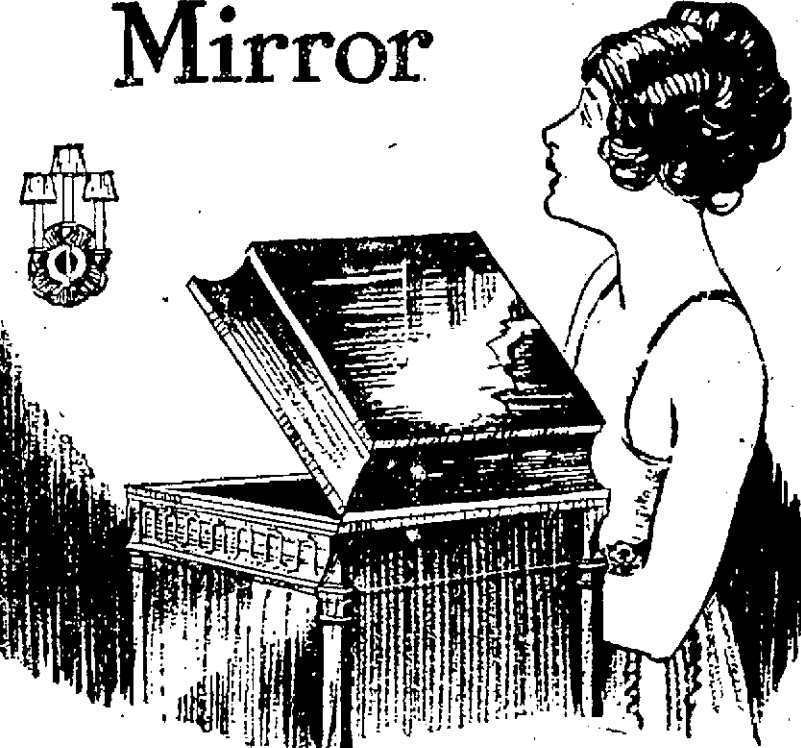
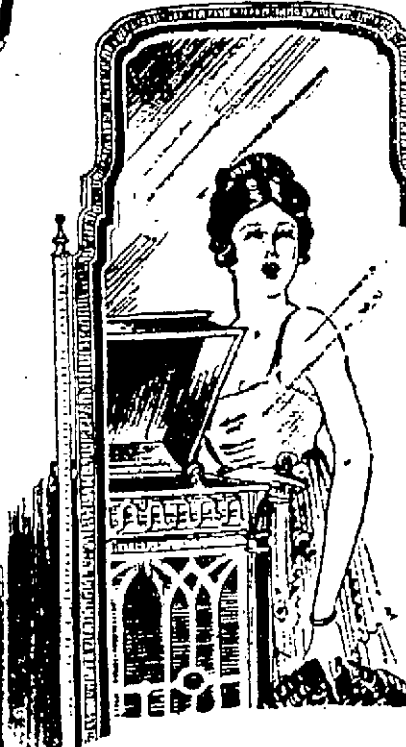
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